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Births.

BERRIE.—August 5, at Lewington-terrace, St. Leonards, the wife of Alexander John Berrie, of a son.

COLEMAN.—July 31, at her residence, Ivy Cottage, Cornwallis-street, Redfern, the wife of W. H. Coleman, of a son, prematurely.

GRAHAM.—July 24, at her residence, Massey's Cottages, William-street, North Shore, the wife of Andrew Anderson Graham, of a son.

JONES.—July 25, at her residence, Victoria-square, Ashfield, the wife of George F. Jones, of a son.

LLOYD.—July 19, at her residence, Sydenham Road, Marrickville, Mrs. Thos. Lloyd, of a son.

PRATT.—July 16, at her residence, Darling-street East, Balmain, the wife of William H. Pratt, of a son.

RANDELL.—August 2, at Kiama, Mrs. G. W. Randell, of a son.

RATTRAY.—July 17, at her residence, Croydon, the wife of G. Allan Rattray, of a daughter.

STUDDS.—August 2, at her residence, Leeville House, Grafton-street, Goulburn, the wife of the Rev. J. Studds, of a son.

WATTS.—August 2, at her residence, George-street, Waterloo, the wife of William Watts, cab proprietor, of a daughter.

WHITE.—July 30, at her residence, Redfern Bakery, Walker-street, Redfern, the wife of William White, of a daughter.

Marriages.

COTTON—BUCKLEY.—July 8, by the Rev. F. B. Boyce, at Christ Church, Borenore, Richard Cotton, of Wongajong, Forbes, to Alice, fifth daughter of Nathaniel Buckley, of Borenore.

EDWARDS—DUNSTON.—August 4, at Christ Church, Sydney, by the Rev. C. F. Garnsey, Richard Edwards, Windsor, to Emma, seventh daughter of the late John Dunston, Woodside, Wilberforce.

HAYDOCK—FERGUSON.—July 21, at the bride's residence, Arundel-terrace, Glebe, by the Rev. D. Allen, Oliver Haydock, post and telegraph master, Wallsend, to Eliza, only daughter of the late Robert Ferguson, of Sydney.

LAMBERT—GLANVILLE.—June 19, at St. Clair Villa, Goulburn, by Rev. F. Tait, William, youngest son of the late Francis Lambert, Esq., Bradford, Yorkshire, to Deborah Adeline, youngest daughter of the late George Glanville, Esq., Tyrrel's Pass, Westmeath, Ireland.

MATTHEWS—LAKE.—August 3, at Shetland House, Dowling-street, Moore Park, by the Rev. B. Kenny, James Matthews, 400, Crown-street, Surry Hills, to Catherine Lake, 43, Queen-street, Woollahra.

Deaths.

APPLETON.—August 5, at her residence, George-street, Waterloo, Caroline, aged 84, widow of the late Robert Appleton, of Newtown—a dear patient mother, leaving an affectionate family to mourn their irreparable loss. Her end was peace. Queensland and New Zealand papers please copy.

BRYDEN.—July 29, at Pyrmont, through injuries accidentally received, James Ferguson Bryden, aged 18 years and 4 months, fourth and dearly beloved son of William and Mary Bryden, of Bowman-street, Pyrmont, and nephew of Mr. James Ferguson, of Queen-street, Brisbane, Queensland.

CARLISLE.—July 22, at Ashfield, Margaret, the beloved wife of John Carlisle, aged 25 years.

FAUX.—July 29, at her residence, Church-street, Parramatta, Elizabeth, wife of Alexander Faux, aged 63 years. Melbourne papers please copy.

FIRTH.—August 6, at Duxford, the residence of her grandfather, Mr. John Garner, Alice Carthew Firth, aged 19 years.

GROGAN.—June 12, at Port Mackay, Queensland, Peter Ambrose Grogan, of bronchitis, second and dearly beloved son of Mrs. P. Grogan, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo. Deeply regretted by all who knew him. *Requiescat in Pace.* Queensland papers please copy.

STONE.—August 6, at her residence, 9, Oak-terrace, Foveaux-street, Albion Estate, Mary Ann, the beloved wife of George Stone, aged 65. Andover, Hants., papers please copy.

STRAFFORD.—August 6, at his residence, Cook's River, Mr. William Strafford, aged 72 years.

WATTS.—August 1, at Parramatta, at her parents residence, Pennant-street, Edith Annie Watts, 2 years and 8 months, the only and beloved daughter of George and Alice Watts.

WILSON.—August 6, at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Crome, 133, Prince-street, Henry Wilson, late of Blue Mountains, Western line, aged 67 years.

Shipping.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN. THROUGH AMERICA.

Under Postal Contract with New South Wales and New Zealand Governments.

The magnificent steamships of this Line leave Sydney for SAN FRANCISCO (calling at AUCKLAND and HONOLULU) every fourth THURSDAY, at 3 p.m., as under:—

Steamer.	Tons.	Dates of Departure.		
ZEALANDIA	3200	12 Aug.	2 Dec.	24 Mch. (81)
CITY OF SYDNEY	3400	9 Sept.	30 Dec.	21 April. (81)
AUSTRALIA	3200	7 Oct.	27 Jan. (81)	19 May (81)
CITY OF NEW YORK	3400	4 Nov.	24 Feb. (81)	16 June (81)

Passengers are booked through to Liverpool, London, or Paris, with special advantages, by connection with the railroads across America, and with the unrivalled steamships of the White Star, Inman, and Cunard lines from America to Liverpool.

THROUGH FARE TO LONDON.

FIRST CLASS ... ... £65 and upwards.

Passengers can break the journey, and stop over from one to six months at Auckland, Honolulu, or at any of the American cities en route.

Drafts, payable in gold in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.

For rates of passage and freight, and all other information apply to

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., General Agents, 1, Bent-street, Sydney.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND.

ZEALANDIA, 3000 tons, H. Chevalier commander will leave as above, on THURSDAY, August 12, at 3 p.m.

Fares at current rates.

Passengers for Waiwera Hot Springs, by R. M. Co.'s steamers forwarded free from Auckland to Waiwera.

For freight or passage apply to GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

The Company's steamships (under contract with the Victorian Government for the conveyance of H. M. Mails) will be despatched from Sydney as under, for CEYLON, calling at MELBOURNE, GLENELG, and KING GEORGE'S SOUND:—

Steamer.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
KAISAR-I-HIND, 4023 tons	R. Methven	August 14th, 4 p.m.
MALWA, 2933 tons	W. E. Thompson	Aug. 28th, 4 p.m.
BANGALORE, 2342 tons	H. Wyatt	Sept. 10, 4 p.m.
ASSAM, 3033 tons	N. Stewart, R.N.R.	Sept. 25th, 4 p.m.

And thenceforward every alternate week.

Liberal reductions are made in favour of families or large parties, and special return tickets for short periods are issued at greatly reduced rates to passengers for Europe.

The general rates of passage money have been greatly reduced.

Passengers, cargo, and parcels are booked through to Europe, India, China, and Japan.

N.B.—No third-class or steerage passengers are carried.

For all information apply at the Company's Offices.

COOPER KIRTON, Agent.

247, George-street, July 31, 1880.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Company will despatch their steamship KAISAR-I-HIND, R. METHVEN Commander, 4023 tons, 700-horse power, THROUGH TO SOUTHAMPTON, via Bombay and Suez Canal, on SATURDAY, August 14, at 4 p.m., from the Company's Wharf at Circular Quay.

Passengers also booked to Venice, Brindisi, Egypt, India, China, and Japan.

Liberal reductions are made in favour of families or large parties, and special return tickets for short periods are issued at greatly reduced rates to passengers for Europe.

Cargo and parcels will be received until noon on August 13th, and specie at 10 on the morning of sailing.

N.B.—No third-class or steerage passengers are carried.

For all information, apply at the company's offices, 247, George-street, Sydney.

COOPER KIRTON, Agent.

July 31, 1880.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FURTHER REDUCTION IN LOCAL PASSAGE RATES.

Commencing with the KAISAR-I-HIND, leaving on SATURDAY, the 14th August.

The local passage rates will be as follows:—

TO MELBOURNE (first-class), £3; return, £5.

TO ADELAIDE (GLENELG), ditto, £7; return, £11.

COOPER KIRTON, Agent.

247, George-street, Sydney, 6th August, 1880.

STEAM TO LONDON.—ORIENT LINE.

The following steamships belonging to the ORIENT STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED), and the PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, will leave SYDNEY at 12 o'clock noon on the undermentioned dates for Melbourne, Adelaide, and LONDON, via the SUEZ CANAL, calling at NAPLES:—

Ship.	Tons.	Date.	Ship.	Tons	Date.
Potosi	4219	Aug. 17	Aconcagua	4106	Oct. 26
Chimborazo	3847	Aug. 31	Orient	5386	Nov. 9
John Elder	4152	Sept. 14	Cotopaxi	4028	Nov. 23
Sorata	4014	Sept. 28	Lusitania	3825	Dec. 7
Cuzco	3847	Oct. 12	Liguria	4666	Dec. 21

And the service will be maintained by succeeding steamers at intervals of a fortnight.

Fares to London, £16 to 60 guineas.

Suez Canal dues 8s in addition.

Passages from London can be granted in Sydney.

For plans and full particulars, apply to F. GREEN and CO., and ANDERSON, ANDERSON and CO., Joint Managers of the line, or to the Agents in Sydney,

GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS will sail (weather permitting)—

MORUYA.—Kiama, to-day, 10 a.m.

WOLLONGONG.—Kameruka, to-day, 4 p.m.; Illawarra, Monday, 11 p.m.

ULLADULLA.—Kameruka, to-day, 4 p.m.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Kameruka, to-day, 4 p.m.

NELLIGEN.—Kameruka, to-day, 4 p.m.

KIAMA.—Illawarra, Monday night, 11.

SHOALHAVEN.—Illawarra, Tuesday night, 11.

MERIMBULA.—Kameruka, Wednesday, 9.30 a.m.

TATHRA (for Bega).—Kameruka, Wednesday, 9.30 a.m.

EDEN (Twofold Bay).—Kameruka, Wednesday, 9.30 a.m.

THE EASTERN and AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited), under contract with the Queensland Government, will dispatch their steamers with mails, cargo, and passengers, calling at all QUEENSLAND PORTS, en route to SINGAPORE and HONGKONG, on:—

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 1st. | SATURDAY, October 2nd.

The R. M. Steamship NORMANBY, S. G. GREEN, Commander, will leave the Company's new jetty, Smith's Wharf, on WEDNESDAY, September 1st, at noon, for BRISBANE, calling at all QUEENSLAND PORTS, including THURSDAY ISLAND, thence proceeding to SINGAPORE and HONGKONG.

BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.

STEAM TO HONGKONG, calling at COOKTOWN and PORT DARWIN.

The E. and A. Company's fine steamship MENMUIR, W. Ellis, commander, will leave for the above ports on TUESDAY, 17th August.

For freight, &c., apply to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.

STEAM TO JAVA, SINGAPORE, MANILA, AND CHINA.

THE NETHERLANDS-INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED), under contract with THE DUTCH AND SOUTH AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENTS, will despatch their fine powerful steamship GRAAF VAN BYLANDT, 1219 tons registre, Captain S. C. SWART, for TOWNSVILLE, COOKTOWN, THURSDAY ISLAND, PORT DARWIN, SOURABAYA, BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, MACASSAR, MANILA, MACAO, HONG KONG, and AMOY, on FRIDAY, 20th AUGUST, taking passengers for the Eastern Archipelago, India, Japan, and Europe.

The ships of this Company are specially fitted up, furnished, and ventilated in the most approved style for the comfort of passengers in a hot climate, whilst the cuisine and attendance will be found unexceptionable.

For information upon all subjects respecting this and the Company's various lines, apply to ELDRED and CO., Managing Agents, 38, Margaret-street.

MONEY WIGRAM and SONS' LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON, via the Cape of Good Hope, and calling at Cape Town,

The splendid clipper steamship SOMERSETSHIRE, 2342 tons register, 500 horse-power, Robert Tischurst, commander, will be dispatched from SYDNEY on or about the 20th OCTOBER, carrying first and second saloon, third class, and steerage passengers. For all particulars, apply to METCALFE, SIDDELEY, and CO., 9, Bridge-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

TO LEVUKA (FIJI).—Gunga, after arrival of the Pacific Mail steamer, due 20th instant, taking passengers and cargo for transhipment to Tonga Taboo and Hapaai, Friendly Islands.

TO NOUMEA (NEW CALEDONIA).—City of Melbourne, Saturday, 14th instant, at 10 a.m.

TO MELBOURNE.—City of Adelaide, this afternoon, Saturday, at 4.30; and Wotonga, Tuesday afternoon, at 4.30. (Fares: Saloon, £3; return ticket, £3 15s; and steerage, £1.)

TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE and MORPETH, from the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street.—City of Brisbane, Tuesday night, at 11; and Coonanbara, Friday night, at 11. There will not be any steamer from Sydney or Newcastle, on Sunday night, 8th instant.

TO CLARENCE TOWN.—City of Brisbane, Tuesday night, at 11. (Freight payable in Sydney.)

TO BRISBANE.—Alexandra, Tuesday, at 5 p.m. (No cargo received after 3 p.m., on Tuesday.); and Elamang, Friday, afternoon, at 3.

TO TOWNSVILLE via BRISBANE.—James Paterson, this day, Saturday, at 1 p.m.

TO BUNDABERG.—Steamer from Brisbane, about 15th instant.

TO MARYBOROUGH.—Egmont, Tuesday afternoon, at 4.30.

TO ROCKHAMPTON.—Egmont, Tuesday afternoon, at 4.30.

TO BROADSOUND.—Steamer from Brisbane, early.

TO GLADSTONE.—Steamer from Brisbane, about 10th instant.

TO PORT MACKAY.—Alexandra, Tuesday, at 5 p.m.

TO BOWEN / TO TOWNSVILLE / TO CAIRNS (TRINITY BAY) / TO PORT DOUGLAS (ISLAND POINT) / TO COOKTOWN WHARF } Alexandra, Tuesday, at 5 p.m. No cargo received after 3 p.m., on Tuesday.

TO CARDWELL / TO KEPPEL BAY } Alexandra, Tuesday, at 5 p.m.

N.B.—Steerage passengers are victualled and supplied with bedding.

CARGO is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.

FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE AT REDUCED RATES.

THIS COMPANY'S LINE of FULL-POWERED and WELL-FOUND Steamships are dispatched for Melbourne every Tuesday and Saturday.

Fares:

Saloon ...	£3 0 0
Ditto, Return	£3 15 0
Steerage	£1 0 0

Steerage passengers are supplied with bedding, and a liberal dietary scale included in passage money.

Freight at current rates.

For all particulars apply to FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

A. S. N. Company's Office, Circular Quay.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

FROM STRUTH'S WHARF, On TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock, the splendid steamship BARRABOOL, 1000 Tons, Saloon ... £2. | Fore Cabin ... 15s.

On THURSDAY, at 2 o'clock, the favourite steamship MACEDON, 1000 Tons, Saloon ... £1. | Fore Cabin ... 10s.

And on FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, the splendid steamship CHEVIOT, 1600 Tons, Saloon ... £2 | Fore Cabin ... 15s.

Passengers supplied with FOOD and BEDDING FREE.

For all particulars apply to W. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, and ROCKHAMPTON.

The undersigned will dispatch the STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

FOR MELBOURNE.		
BARRABOOL	F. H. Stanford	TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock.
MACEDON	W. Donaldson	THURSDAY, August 12.
CHEVIOT	Chas. Ashford	FRIDAY, August 13.
FOR ADELAIDE.		
BARRABOOL	F. H. Stanford	TUESDAY, at 2 o'clock.
MACEDON	W. Donaldson	THURSDAY, August 12.
CHEVIOT	Chas. Ashford	FRIDAY, August 13.
Transhipping at Melbourne to Adelaide Steamship Co.'s steamer.		
FOR BRISBANE.		
DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	FRIDAY, August 13.
FOR MARYBOROUGH.		
DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	FRIDAY, August 13.
FOR ROCKHAMPTON.		
KEILAWARRA	J. H. South	TUESDAY, August 17.

Cargo received for the above ports every day.

Fore Cabin Passengers supplied with Bedding, and Victualled FREE.

W. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, Struth's Wharf.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE.

FROM LIME-STREET WHARF, FOOT OF ERSKINE-STREET.

THIS NIGHT (SATURDAY), at 11, the COLLAROY, leaving NEWCASTLE, TO-MORROW (SUNDAY) NIGHT, at 11.

On MONDAY NIGHT, at 10.45, the COLLAROY.

On TUESDAY NIGHT, at 10.45, the COLLAROY.

FARES to and from NEWCASTLE: Saloon, 10s; steerage, 5s.

H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

HUNTER RIVER NEW STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE, &c.

FROM SYDNEY:

THIS (SATURDAY) NIGHT, at 11.15, the MORPETH.

On MONDAY NIGHT, at 11.15, the MAITLAND.

FROM NEWCASTLE:

TUESDAY NIGHT, at 11, the MORPETH.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.

Goods received for PATERSON and MILLER'S FOREST, THIS DAY. (Freight payable in Sydney.)

Fares from SYDNEY to NEWCASTLE, or vice versa: Saloon, 10s; steerage, 5s each. Enclosed berths, or berths in special saloon, 2s 6d each extra.

Goods will not be received after 5 p.m.

F. J. THOMAS, Manager.

Offices—foot of Market-street.

CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

NEW ENGLAND, for GRAFTON, THIS NIGHT, at 9.

CITY OF GRAFTON, for GRAFTON, TUESDAY, at 9 p.m.

QUEEN OF THE SOUTH, for KEMPSEY, MONDAY, 9 p.m.

CORAKI, for RICHMOND RIVER, SATURDAY NEXT.

FREIGHTS and PASSAGE MONEY at LOWEST RATES.

For full information apply to JOHN WHITE, Secretary.

Wharf, Sussex-street.

S. S. TRUGANINI, for the MANNING RIVER.—POSTPONED until THIS DAY, 1 p.m. Grafton Wharf.

STEAM TO CLARENCE RIVER.—The splendid fast new steamship, AUSTRALIAN, 500 tons, from Grafton Wharf, THIS DAY at 9 p.m.

Great reduction in fares and freights. Accommodation for passengers unrivalled. Inspection invited. G. and B. NICOLL.

STEAM TO RICHMOND RIVER.—The splendid full-powered steamship RICHMOND, 400 tons, sails MONDAY EVENING, 7 o'clock.

G. and B. NICOLL, Grafton Wharf.

STEAM TO THE BELLINGER RIVER.—The fast and favourite S. S. MANLY, about the 9th instant, from PATENT SLIP WHARF. All freights payable in Sydney.

G. F. MASON, Agent.

CLARENCE RIVER.

The S.S. ARGYLE leaves the Market Wharf, THIS SATURDAY, at 6 p.m., and EVERY FOLLOWING SATURDAY NIGHT.

Fares—Saloon, £1 10s; return, £2 10s. Steerage, 15s; return, £1 5s.

Freight—10s ton, dead weight or measurement.

NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.

REDUCED RATES.

The favourite S. S. OMEO, 1000 tons, T. Boyd, master, will leave the Market Wharf, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 2 p.m.

Saloon, 20s; return, 40s. Steerage, 10s; return, 20s.

These rates include best of provisions and bedding.

Return tickets available for one month.

For rates, freight, and tickets, apply NIPPER and SEE, 129, Sussex-street, near King-street.

STEAM TO QUEENSLAND PORTS.

The S.S. LLEWELLYN, Captain M'CLEMENS, will sail for the undermentioned Queensland Ports, on SATURDAY, the 14th instant, from Grafton Wharf, taking cargo and passengers at reduced rates, viz.—

BRISBANE
PORT MACKAY
TOWNSVILLE
PORT DOUGLASS
and
COOKTOWN.

For all particulars of freight or passage, apply to JAMES BURNS, Macquarie-place.

STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND.

The favourite steamship HERO, Thomas Logan, commander, having been refitted with NEW BOILERS and completed her extensive overhaul, will be dispatched for WELLINGTON and AUCKLAND direct on or about AUGUST 21, booking passengers for LYTTELTON and DUNEDIN.

Passengers and shippers of cargo will be liberally dealt with.

For freight, passage, and all particulars Apply to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (Limited).

Regular communication to all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
ALBION	806	F. G. Garrard	19th August, via Auckland.
WAKATIPU	1796	E. Wheeler	27th August, via Wellington.
FROM MELBOURNE.			
ARAWATA	1098	W. C. Sinclair.	11th August, via Bluff.
TARARUA	828	E. Muir	17th August, via Hobart Town and Bluff.

FREDK. W. JACKSON, 26, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

The Union Company's powerful steamship ALBION, 806 tons, F. Garrard, Commander, will be dispatched as above, on THURSDAY, 19th August, booking passengers and cargo for all ports.

Passengers for Hokitika, Westport, and Greymouth booked at through rates.

FREDK. W. JACKSON, 26, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO HONGKONG, from NEWCASTLE, via PORT DARWIN.

The steamship MEATH, 2047 tons register, will be dispatched as above about 18th August.

For all particulars of freight and passage apply to FREDK. W. JACKSON, 26, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO PORT DARWIN, from NEWCASTLE.

The magnificent steamship MEATH, 2047 tons, John Johnson, commander, will be dispatched about 18th August, with passengers and cargo.

Has splendid accommodation for horses.

For all particulars of rates of freight and passage money apply to FREDK. W. JACKSON, Agent, 26, Pitt-street.

TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched as under from the Grafton Wharf:—

For LAUNCESTON, calling at Eden to land passengers and cargo:—

S. S. ESK, FRIDAY, 20th August, at 10 a.m.

For HOBART TOWN, calling at Eden to land passengers and cargo:—

S. S. TASMAN, THURSDAY, 12th August, at 4 p.m.

For FREIGHT or PASSAGE apply to T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 15, Pitt-street.

FOR EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.

The fine steamships ESK, FRIDAY, 20th August, at 10 a.m. TASMAN, THURSDAY, 12th August, at 4 p.m.

For freight or passage apply to T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 15, Pitt-street.

MANLY BEACH.

SATURDAY.

Drawing-room Saloon Steamer FAIRLIGHT; also steamer EMU, will leave Queen's Wharf, 7.15, 10.15, 1.30, 2.30, 4.30, 6

Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2.45

Manly Beach, 8.10, 9, 12, 3.30, 5, 5.30, 7.30.

No freight received after 10.15 a.m. trip.

Extra trip from Sydney at 11.15 p.m.

SUNDAY.

Steamers FAIRLIGHT, BREADALBANE, and EMU, from Queen's Wharf, 10.15, 2.30, 5.45

Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2.45

Manly Beach, 9, 12, 5, 5.15.

FARE—Return Ticket, 1s.; Children, half-price.

LATE BOATS (EXTRA).

MIDDLE HARBOUR.—CLONTARF, SUNDAY.

The powerful steamer COMMODORE will leave Circular Wharf at 10.15, 2.30, calling at Woolloomooloo at 2.45; landing at Clontarf, making a trip up Middle Harbour, and leaving Clontarf at 5 p.m. Fare—Return ticket, 1s.

MIDDLE HARBOUR, on SUNDAY, to the Head of the River.—The fast and commodious steamer PRINCE OF WALES will leave the Circular Quay at 2.30, Woolloomooloo Bay 2.45, returning at 5. Return Fare, 1s. Refreshments on board. The only boat landing passengers at the head of the river.

W. WATERHOUSE.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE FERRY—Steamer WOMERAH leaves—

Lime-street Wharf, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.5, 7

Lane Cove, 8, 10, 12, 2, 4, 6

SATURDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 1.15 and 11.15 p.m.

Lane Cove, 10 p.m.

SUNDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 10, 2.30, 6.

Lane Cove, 9, 1, 5

BRISBANE WATER.—S. PELICAN leaves King-street, TUESDAY next, 7.30 a.m. Return same day.

PARRAMATTA RIVER STEAMERS, TO COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and GLADESVILLE—7, 9, 10, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1.15, 3, 4.15, 5.5, 6.15, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 p.m.

TO FIVEDOCK, BURWOOD, &c.—7, 10, 12.30, 1.15, 4.15, 6.15.

TO RYDE—7, 9, 11 a.m.; 1.15, 3, 5.5, 11 p.m.

TO PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11 a.m.; 1.15, 3, 5.5 p.m.

FROM PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11 a.m.; 1, 3, 5 p.m.

FROM FIVEDOCK—7.45, 8.30, 11 a.m.; 2.45, 5.10, 7.10 p.m.

FROM GLADESVILLE—7, 8, 8.40, 10, 11.15, 12; 2, 3, 4, 5.20, 6, 7.25.

FROM HUNTER'S HILL—7.15, 8.15, 9, 10.15, 11.30, 12.15 a.m., 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.35, 6.15, 7.35, 8.45 p.m.

FROM COCKATOO—Ten minutes after Hunter's Hill.

ON SUNDAY.

To Cockatoo, Hunter's Hill, and Gladesville—9.15, 10, 11 a.m., 1, 2.15, 3, 5, 6.15, and 9 p.m. to Villa Maria.

To Five Dock and Burwood—10 a.m.; 1, 2.15, 5 p.m.

To Parramatta, calling at Putney, Ryde, Ermington, Newington, Dundas, and Subiaco—9.15, 11 a.m.; 2.15, 3, 6.15 p.m.

RETURNING.

From Parramatta, calling at Subiaco, Newington, Dundas, Ermington, Ryde, &c.—7, 9, 11.15 a.m.; 1, 4.15, 6 p.m.

From Five Dock—11 a.m.; 3.30, 6 p.m.

From Gladesville—8, 10, 11.15, 12.15, 2, 3.40, 5.15, 6.10, 7 p.m.

From Hunter's Hill—8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.25, a.m., 12.30, 2.15, 3.55, 5.30, 6.25, 7.15 p.m., calling at Cockatoo.

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CROWDER BAY.—On SUNDAY, the swift and favourite Steam Yacht, NIXIE, will leave Circular Quay at 10.40 a.m and 2.40 p.m., calling at Woolloomooloo Bay.

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FOR SHOALHAVEN.—Ketch PROMISE, now receiving cargo at the Patent Slip Wharf.

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First-class Sailing Vessels will be dispatched at regular intervals from HAMBURG to SYDNEY direct, carrying freight and passengers.

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JAMES BURNS, Macquarie-place.

FOR PORT MACKAY Direct.—The schooner DANCING WAVE, Captain Mackenzie, is expected daily, and will immediately after discharge of inward cargo berth for Port Mackay. JAMES BURNS, Macquarie-place.

FOR TOWNSVILLE Direct.—The brigantine MINNIE, Captain Chambers, is expected daily, and will be laid on the berth for Townsville immediately after discharge of inward cargo. JAMES BURNS, Macquarie-place.

FOR CAPE HAWKE.—The EMILY T., THIS DAY, at noon. For freight or passage, apply on board, foot of Bathurst-street. All freights payable in Sydney.

RICHMOND RIVER.—LUCY RAVEL, ketch, THIS DAY, noon. Street's Wharf, Sussex-street.

BARQUE STRATHEDEN, from Charente, via Melbourne.—Consignees of goods by this vessel are requested to Pass ENTRIES at once for Alger's Wharf. The ship will not be responsible for damage to, or loss of, cargo after being landed. Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and orders for delivery obtained, before any cargo can leave the wharf. All goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at the consignees' risk and expense.

HARBOTTLE, BIDDULPH, and ALSOP, Agents.

Captain AMESS will not be responsible for any debts contracted by his crew without his written authority.

S. S. MEATH, FROM HONGKONG.

Consignees are requested to PASS ENTRIES at once for Smith's Wharf. Bills of Lading must be presented, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained from the undersigned before any goods can leave the wharf. All goods will be at the consignees' risk after leaving the ship's side.

F. W. JACKSON, Agent.

STEAMER BENARTY, from Foochow.—CONSIGNEES of Teas by this steamer are requested to Pass ENTRIES at once for Parbury's Wharf. The steamer will not be responsible for damage to, or loss of cargo after being landed.

Bills of lading must be produced, duly endorsed, and orders for delivery obtained from the undersigned, before any cargo can leave the wharf.

All Teas impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at the consignee's risk and expense.

Musters are now ready for delivery.

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BRIG JANE WOODBURN, from Melbourne.—CONSIGNEES are requested to pass ENTRIES AT ONCE for Victoria Wharf. Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and orders for delivery obtained before any goods can leave the wharf.

BINGLE and CO., Agents, 65, Pitt-street.

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BOATS.—TO BOAT HIRERS AND OTHERS.—For SALE, four of the lightest and fastest Light SKIFFS in the colonies, nearly new; very handsome 4-oared GIG, fitted with slides and swivels; 3 pretty out-rigger DINGIES, &c.. owner giving up business. DAWSON, Sussex and Margaret streets.

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FOR SALE, FREIGHT, or CHARTER, the clipper schooner ADELAIDE. C. B. BOND, 94, Sussex-street.

FOR SALE, a 14-feet DINGY. 63, John-street, Pyrmont.

FOR SALE, first-class 18-foot Centreboard SKIFF, everything complete, cheap. Apply Z., Box 520, G. P. O.

FOR SALE, 18-feet Centreboard DINGY; builder, Mr. A. Reynolds. Apply James Ternen, Darling-street, Balmain.

FOR SALE, Ships' and Surf BOATS; good second-hand Ship's BOAT. WARD, Dawes Point.

FOR SALE, 4 first-class varnished SKIFFS, £16, £18, and £20 each. JAMES YATES, Lavender Bay.

FOR SALE, 24-foot centreboard BOAT, Faria Queen, together with all fittings, &c. Apply at Samuel Richardson's, Double Bay.

FOR SALE, cheap, 16-feet Centreboard DINGY, YOUNG CHARLIE, varnished and cork-lined, 2 suits of sails spars, paddles, rowlocks, and gear complete, also box and camping gear. Particulars at Helling's Shed, Woolloomooloo Bay.

FOR SALE, a fast-sailing family YACHT, well found, equal to new, with dingy, coppered, and copper-fastened, the owner leaving Sydney. Particulars, No. 85, Castlereagh-street South.

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CERTAINLY ME! Were you doubtful? Be patient. Trust me. All will come right. H.

DAVID ROBERTSON, native of Kirkton, Burntisland, Scotland, left there in 1859, was at Beechworth, Victoria, in 1862. Any information of him would be gladly received by J. LINTON, General Post Office, Sydney.

F. A. LANCASTER,—Call for Letters. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co.

HARRY TREMAYNE HARDING, of Cork, Ireland, who was last heard of on the 5th July, 1877, at Belalie Station, Warrego River, Fort Bourke, N. S. W., is requested to communicate without delay with his Brother, J. W. HARDING, Shanghai, China.

IF Mr. E. B. GANNETT will call at Warreston House, South Castlereagh-street, he will hear of something to his advantage.

IF ANY Person who saw me driving two cream Ponies, tandem, in King and Castlereagh streets, on Saturday, July 31, will call at 324, Castlereagh-street, they will oblige.

J. Lapraik.

MR. SIMPSON can have DOG, by calling at No. 4, Ultimo-street, off Bay-street, by paying expenses.

MRS. NOBLE, formerly of Miller's Point, is requested to call at Trinity Parsonage, Prince-street.

MR. RICHARD E. PHILLIPS.—Please call at 234, Elizabeth-street, to save further trouble.

MR. REES.—Please call at No. 49, Hunter-street. Immediate and important.

MR. OSBORNE, Shingler,—Please call on G. TWEMLOW, 108, Castlereagh-street; or Randwick.

MR. SAMUEL ETHERINGTON, late of 15, Castlereagh-street, Redfern, is requested to give his present ADDRESS to A. C. HUENERBEIN'S Pianoforte Warehouse, 178, Pitt-street.

WANTED, ADDRESS of Mr. G. Monari, connected with the Italian Court at the late Exhibition. Zions.

WALTER JOHNS, Honolulu, Maitland, now Sydney,—want to see you immediately. Letter at Exchange. FRANK.

Lost and Found.

CABMAN, who drove lady from Collaroy to Moore Park, please deliver PARCEL left in cab, at 154, Botany-street. Reward.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.—To Constables, Pawnbrokers, and others. Lost on the 7th March last, at King-street, Newtown, a new set of surgical INSTRUMENTS, in a green Morocco leather pocket-case, with brass harp. I will give the above reward to any one who will give information pointing out the miscreant who, knowing my loss, dishonestly retains them to the present time; or I will give £2 for the restoration of the complete case. JOSEPH KINGSBURY, Francis-street, Enmore.

HANDSOME REWARD.—Lost at St. Vincent's Ball a gold BRACELET. Mrs. Walsh, 540, Crown-street, S. H.

LOST, at St. Vincent's Ball, Lace HANDKERCHIEF. Reward, R. Butcher, No. 534, George-street.

LOST, 2nd Class Railway TICKET, owner's name on it. Reward, 185, late 229, Pitt-street.

LOST, Sealskin PURSE, with money, &c., yesterday in Oxford-street. Reward. Mrs. Judge Callaghan, Randwick.

LOST, Gent.'s Square TIE, with Gold PIN, on Thursday evening. Reward, 748, George-street.

LOST, between Zions' and Hunter's, George-street, Silver Geneva WATCH. Reward, 73, Bathurst-street.

LOST, between Park and Elizabeth-street Tramway Office, a Gold Earring DROP. Reward, 367, Sussex-street.

LOST, part of Gold EARRING, between Queen's Theatre and Bridge-street. Miss Hughes, Queen's Theatre.

LOST, small white COW, strawberry neck, branded like Q on rump, horns turned in; reward 10s. Mrs. Moore, Concord.

LOST, from San Souci, brindled greyhound DOG. Reward if returned. Anyone detaining him after this notice will be prosecuted. H. M'Keon, Grafton Wharf Stores.

LOST, a crossed CHEQUE for £6 5s on E. S. and A. Chartered Bank, in favour of Ludovicia. Payment stopped. Reward. JOHN RITCHIE and CO., Draitt-street.

LOST, between Woolloomooloo and Riley streets, White and Red CLOUD. Finder please leave at Rose and Crown William-street.

LOST, at St. Vincent's Ball, White Satin FAN, silver spangled; also, Part Leaf of Silver Earring, set with stones. Reward, Mr. T. M. Slattery, solicitor, Pitt-street.

LOST, Friday evening, between Hunter-street and Miller's Point, small black HAND BAG, containing four £10-notes, three pounds in gold, some silver, and papers; numbers known. The finder handsomely rewarded on returning it, No. 24, Charlotte-place, Church-hill.

REWARD.—MARE, broke loose, George-street, to be returned to F. Salisbury, Hay and George streets.

STOLEN or Strayed, from Cook's River, brown MARE, 16 hands, branded G near shoulder. 10s reward if strayed, £5 on conviction. Apply to A. Barden, Cook's River.

TEN Shillings Reward.—Lost, Gold NECKLACE, St. Vincent's Ball. Mrs. Jefferies, Sportsman's Arms, Geo.-st.

THE PERSON detaining my Greyhound DOG will please let it loose without further trouble, name on collar. Reward, Mrs. T. Hely, Queen-street, Woollahra.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, from steamer Coonanbara, on 11th June last, CARPET BAG, containing lady's wearing apparel, &c. Apply J. C. Ross, 100, Market-street.

THIRTY SHILLINGS REWARD.—Strayed from Mr. D. White, Mitchell Road, Alexandria, one Black Pony MARE, branded W over ⊣ near shoulder. Any one detaining her after this date will be prosecuted.

THE PERSON who took a Black PUP, with no hair on, except head and feet, from Milson's Point Road, please return it to the Rest Hotel, Milson's Point Road, North Shore.

FOUND, at Stanmore, LOCKET. Apply Chambers, Emily-street, Marrickville.

Municipal Elections.

BOROUGH OF VICTORIA.

EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Public MEETING of the Electors of this Borough will be held, at the Council Chambers, Blue's Point Road, on MONDAY, the 23rd day of August instant, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating and electing an Alderman in the room of Isaac Ellis Ives, Esq., J.P., resigned.

Nominations must be in writing, and delivered to me not later than MONDAY, 16th August.

ROBERT MOODIE, Mayor and Returning Officer.

Susannah-street, Blue's Point Road, August 7th, 1880.

MUNICIPALITY OF FIVE DOCK. EAST WARD.

EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a MEETING of the Electors of this Municipality will be holden at the Council-chambers, West-street, Five Dock, on MONDAY, 23rd August, at noon, for the Nomination and Election of an ALDERMAN, for the East Ward, in place of T. Grogan, disqualified.

Nominations must be in writing, and addressed to me, at my residence, North Road, Five Dock, seven days at least before the said day of nomination.

WILLIAM BUDD, Alderman and Returning Officer.

Council-chambers, Five Dock, 3rd August, 1880.

Volunteer Notices.

SECOND REGIMENT V. I.—The undersigned will attend at the Office, 10, O'Connell-street, on TUESDAY next, the 10th instant, at 7.30 p.m., and receive the names of candidates for enrolment in the Regiment.

JAMES WILSON, Captain and Adjutant, 2nd Regiment V. I.

SECOND REGIMENT V. I.—The Regiment will PARADE, at the Victoria Barracks, at 3.30 p.m. THIS DAY, in review order. By order.

JAMES WILSON, Captain and Adjutant, 2nd Regiment V. I.

Business Announcements.

ACTUARY AND ACCOUNTANT.

The undersigned notifies that he has resumed Office at No. 267, George-street, and that he will undertake all business in every branch of his profession. All such business will be executed in a skilful, straightforward, and honourable manner, and with every attention to his clients' interests.

S. PARTRIDGE, Consulting Actuary, Accountant, and Arbitrator of Accounts, &c.,

No. 267, George-street; or No. 388 Box, G. P. O., Sydney.

MESSRS. M. ALBERY AND CO. beg to inform their friends and the public that they have RESUMED BUSINESS (after the interruption occasioned by the late fire), and that the portion of carpets and rugs damaged by water will be ready for sale on Monday, 2nd August.

CARPET AND FURNISHING WAREHOUSE, 355, GEORGE-STREET.

LEGAL.—CHARLES DAVIS, Solicitor, REMOVED to the Australian Mutual Provident Society's New Offices, Pitt-street North. Entrance in Bond-street.

NOTICE.—The undersigned is prepared to negotiate for the SALE or purchase of House and Landed Property; also to make Valuations of same. JOHN HOURIGAN, Lloyd's-chambers, 348, George-street.

LEGAL.—Mr. JOHN A. B. CAHILL, Solicitor, has commenced practice at Temple Court, King-street.

FOUR THOUSAND ORANGE TREES wanted, for 1881—Navel, Parramatta, St. Michael's, and Mandarin; also 1000 Lisbon Lemons; state lowest price per 1000, for good saleable trees, to M. Smith, Bowral, General Post Office, Sydney.

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DRESS MATERIALS.—A good assortment of the undermentioned Fancy Dress Materials may still be inspected at Victoria House, most of the favourite new shades being as yet represented. Ladies requiring Dresses to finish the Winter season with are invited at once to inspect the stock. Strictly wholesale prices for prompt net cash. FARMER'S

Homespun Beiges, 6½d	French Wool Poplains, 1s 3d
Satin Perle, 9½d	French Wool Poplains, 1s 11d
Superior Russell Cord, 10½d	French Satin Cloth, 1s 6½d
Pompadour Cashmere, 1s 3d	French Cashmeres, 1s 9d
Pompadour Cashmere, 1s 6d	French Cashmeres, 2s 6d
Pure Scotch Homespun, 6½d	French Merinoes, 2s 2d
Pure Scotch Homespun, 6½d	French Merinoes, 2s 6d.

THE BALANCE OF SEASON'S IMPORTATIONS IN FANCY GOODS is now being sold at Victoria House. Among the items worth inspecting there are—

Ladies' Hemmed Cambric Handkerchiefs, 4s 11d to 10s 6d per dozen

Swiss Cambric Works, 4½d to 3s 6d per yard

Ladies' Embroidered White Silk Scarves, at 2s 11d and 3s 6d

Ladies' Embroidered Silk Scarves, very choice colours, at 2s and 2s 6d.

In no other department is the saving more apparent by buying at strictly wholesale prices for prompt net cash than in the Fancy Department. As a rule, large profits attach to Fancy Goods, and the experience of cash buyers at FARMER'S is that they can save in such goods quite one-third off ordinary prices. FARMER'S only.

EMBROIDERED CASHMERE HOSE.—Out of three thousand dozens of these durable Stockings, imported at the commencement of the season, there are now about 700 dozens remaining. They have hitherto been sold in parcels of half-dozen pairs only from 7s to 21s per dozen. The balance of the parcel will be sold by the single pair at prices varying from 7d to 1s 9d per pair. All colours are well represented and all sizes in stock. FARMER'S only.

EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION IN WEAR. Messrs. Farmer and Company place their 2-BUTTON PARIS KID GLOVES before the public with the accompanying assurance. These excellent Gloves may now be obtained in black and all the new shades in colours. All sizes in stock. An inexpensive 2-button Kid Glove, black and colours, 2s per pair. FARMER'S only.

LADIES' SILK UMBRELLAS, given a substantial frame, and fair quality of silk, and you get an Umbrella that, with fair usage, will last a reasonable time. Such Umbrellas may now be purchased at Victoria House, with rustic sticks or fancy mounts, at 6s 6d, 6s 11d, 8s 11d, 10s 6d, 12s 6d. All strictly wholesale prices, for prompt net cash. FARMER'S.

FARMER'S GUINEA BLANKETS are now favourably known throughout N. S. Wales. They are manufactured from the finest Clothing Wools, are pure, very white, unweighted; are quite large enough for double beds, and without doubt the very best value obtainable for money. Weight, quality, and size considered, they cannot be matched in the city under 26s. 6d. FARMER'S.

WINTER FLANNELS.—Customers requiring pure all-wool Flannels to finish the winter season with, are invited to inspect the really excellent assortment at FARMER'S. Real Welsh, Saxony, Coloured and Crimean Flannels, all at wholesale prices for prompt net cash. FARMER'S only.

UNDERCLOTHING DEPARTMENT. — Every description of Ladies' and Children's Underclothing at the lowest wholesale prices for prompt net cash. Balance of children's Costumes from 5s 6d to 18s 6d, suitable for school wear, very cheap indeed. Boys' Tunics, 6s 6d to 12s 6d. Ladies' Morning Wrappers, a very nice selection, embroidered, 11s 6d, 13s 6d, 25s, and 27s 6d each. FARMER'S.

MOURNING MATERIALS.—Purchase your requirements in Family Mourning at FARMER'S, and economise, where economy is very frequently so urgently necessary, by buying at wholesale prices for prompt net cash. Black Silk Lustres, 7d to 1s. Black French Cashmeres, 2s 2d to 4s. Black French Merinos, 2s 6d, 2s 11d. Black Russell Cords, 13d, 15½d, 1s 9d, 1s 10½d. Indisputably the largest, and far and away the best, stock in the colonies.

MANTLES, JACKETS, SHAWLS.—Balance of Ladies' Ulsters now offering at 12s 6d, 14s 6d, 19s 6d. Balance of Cloth Jackets, 16s 6d, 21s 6d, 27s 6d. Balance of Cloth Dolman's, 57s 6d, 70s. Balance of Children's Jackets, 21s, 27s 6d, 35s. Balance of Ladies' Seal Jackets, 4½, 5, 5½, 6 guineas. Shepherd and Tartan Wool Shawls, 16s 6d, very excellent value. Balance of Black Fur Muffs, 10s 6d. Balance of Black Fur Capes, 12s 6d, 18s 6d. All strictly wholesale prices for prompt net cash. FARMER'S.

INEXPENSIVE MILLINERY.—A parcel of Children's Trimmed Felt Hats, presenting considerable variety, suitable for school or other wear, 5s 6d each. This parcel is well worth the attention of heads of families. Also, balance of Ladies' Plush Hats, very nicely trimmed, 8s 6d each. These goods are so very much below regular value that a rapid sale is certain to occur. FARMER'S.

BLACK FRENCH GROS GRAINS.—It is not often that the public have the opportunity to purchase a pure French silk, unweighted, with matchless bloom, at so low a price as that to which Messrs. FARMER now direct attention. An extraordinary purchase in Lyons by Mr. William Farmer enables them to submit a Rich Corded Silk, 22 inches wide, at 2s 11d per yard. There are only 100 pieces, and as the sale is certain to be very rapid in town, country customers are recommended to forward their orders without delay. The goods will be exhibited in one of the Pitt-street windows THIS DAY, at 2s 11d per yard for prompt net cash. Patterns free. Remittances must accompany orders from the country. FARMER'S.

BLACK SATINS.—An excellent purchase just to hand, ex Potosi. Full width Black Satins, really good quality, at 3s 3d, 3s 9d, 4s 3d, and 4s 9d, all wholesale prices for prompt net cash. There are not many pieces of these excellent goods, so that early application will be necessary. As a trimming satin, the very wide width is a great advantage to purchasers. FARMER'S.

INEXPENSIVE FURNITURE, that can be recommended to wear.—For the Drawing-Room: Early English Drawing-room Suites, CHOICE ART DESIGNS, fit for a really well-furnished drawing-room, £31; cheaper suites from £14 14s; Oval Occasional Tables, 3 guineas; Whatnots, 21s; Chiffoniers, marble top and glass back, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 18 guineas; Early English Mirrors, black and gold, 5 guineas, £6 10s, £7 10s, £8 10s, £10, and to 16 guineas; Early English Cabinets, black and gold, with painted panels, at 6, 8, 10, 14, and 20 guineas; Occasional Chairs, 18s 6d to 5 guineas.

For the Dining-room: Early English Dining-room Suites, in oak, covered in substantial roans, £27 10s, £30, £32 10s, £35; Mahogany Suites of 9 pieces, in best horsehair, £17 10s; Sideboards, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, and 10 guineas; Dinner Waggons, 55s, 63s, 70s, 80s, 90s, and 100s; Extension Tables, 3, 5, 6, 8, 10 guineas; Dining-room Chairs, in real horsehair, 18s 6d and 21s; French Cane-seated Chairs, solid oak frames, Louis seize style, 9s 6d each; Easy Chairs to match.

For the Bedroom: Substantial Bedroom Suites, consisting of wardrobe, chest of drawers, pedestal, pair toilet tables, towel horse, 3 chairs, the suite complete 12 guineas; ditto ditto, superior quality, the suite complete 15 guineas; extra quality ditto, Wardrobe with plate-glass doors, and toilet table with marble slab, the suite complete 18 guineas; Single Chests of Drawers, 35s, 40s, 45s, 50s, and to 5 guineas; Chair Bedsteads, with cushions, 42s. Altogether a most comprehensive assortment, all marked in plain figures, at the lowest prices for PROMPT NET CASH. FARMER'S only.

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New Songs, Local Hits, and Dances.
MONDAY, 9th August,
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WANTED, FIFTY BOYS for the GREAT SCHOOLROOM SCENE in NICHOLAS NICKLEBY. APPLY at the OPERA HOUSE not later than 11 O'CLOCK THIS DAY.

A CARD.
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A GRAND COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT
having been tendered, on
SATURDAY, AUGUST 7,
to the Members of the Dramatic Company suffering by the late Victoria Fire, it is requested that Professionals and others desirous of assisting will please address
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and for the first time in Sydney, the sensational Drama of interest, entitled,
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COMPETITORS MUST APPEAR IN CHASTE AND APPROPRIATE ATTIRE.
The Cumberland Band is engaged.
Refreshments will be obtained in the Marquee.
The Prizes for this Tournament will be £15 first man, £10 second man, £5 third man, and a Special Prize of a Silver Cup to the one who keeps on the track the longest.
Entrance, £1, to be made to Mr. L. MENSER, Parramatta, from whom all information can be obtained.
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Wonderful how we do it, but we do.

BALMAIN.—Public TEA MEETING, in the New Temperance Hall, on TUESDAY next, August 10. Tea on the tables from half-past 6 to half-past 7. Tickets, 1s 6d; children under 10, 1s. Public MEETING after tea, the Mayor to preside. Select music, &c. Revs. Kenny, Moore, Penman, Brown, Waters, Grimm, Fry, Cosh, Blanksby, Watkin, Steel, Mowbray, and others to take part in the service. A collection will be made, to aid the building fund P. M. new church.

THE MOST SELECT PICNIC of THE SEASON.
THIS AFTERNOON, Saturday, August 7,
INVINCIBLE CRICKET CLUB
will hold their First Annual Excursion to Fern Bay.
All kinds of amusements,
Cricket, Football, Quoits, &c., &c.
YOUNG AUSTRALIAN BAND ENGAGED.
Steamers every half-hour; first boat, half-past 1 o'clock.
Single tickets, 1s 6d; double, 2s 6d.
NOTICE.—During the afternoon a boat will leave Fern Bay proceeding up Parramatta River, giving visitors an opportunity of viewing the scenery.
W. BINSTEAD, Hon. Sec.

PROCTOR. MONDAY, August 16.—See "Lectures."

RABBI DAVIS on "Hell and the Devil," at Masonic Hall, WEDNESDAY, August 11, in aid Jewish Home.

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'Buses leave Oddfellows' Hall at 7.45 p.m.
Double tickets, 25s each
Gentlemen, 21s each
Ladies, 5s each
may be obtained from any member of the Committee, or
FRANK SMITH, Hon. Secretary.

MR. C. BAILEY'S ANNUAL PLAIN and FANCY DRESS BALL will take place, in his Assembly Room, Hay-street, Haymarket, September 14. Double tickets, 12s 6d; single tickets, 7s 6d; ladies' tickets, 5s.
Mr. Callaghan will provide.

GUILD HALL, CASTLEREAGH-STREET.—Annual QUADRILLE PARTY in aid of the Sick and Accident Fund of the City Fire Brigade on THURSDAY EVENING, August 12th, 1880.
The United Band (Balmain) and the City Fire Brigade Band will play new and select music during the evening, under the leadership of their bandmaster, Mr. J. Devlin. Tickets, 2s 6d each.
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Powell v. Richards
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To commence about 3.30 p.m.
ADMISSION—6d.
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SATURDAY, 14th AUGUST, 1880.
RANDWICK RACE COURSE.
First Race to start at a quarter past 1—The Hurdle Race
Second Race to start at 2 o'clock—Tramway Handicap
Third Race to start at quarter-past 3—Two-year-old Stakes
Fourth Race to start at 4 o'clock—Novel Selling Race
Fifth Race to start at a quarter to 5—August Handicap
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THIS EVENING, and until further notice, by special desire of residents in the Suburbs of Sydney, the successful Comedy "BETSY" will be played first. The screaming Farce of BETSY BAKER will conclude the entertainment.
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THIS EVENING, at 8,
the Grand New Comedy,
BETSY,
by F. C. Burnand.

Mr. Alexander Birkett	Mr. Edmund W. Marshall
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Mrs. Birkett	Mrs. Marion Stammers
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Madame Polenta	Miss Annie Taylor
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After which, at 10.15, Madison Morton's screaming farce,
BETSY BAKER.
Characters by Mr. Edmund Marshall, Mr. Frank Cates, Miss Alma Santon, and Miss Annie Taylor.
Stage Manager, Mr. FREDERICK MARSHALL.
Doors open at 7.15. Curtain will rise at 8 o'clock sharp.
Prices of Admission: Dress circle, 5s; stalls, 3s; family circle, 2s; pit, 1s.
Box office at Elvy and Co.'s, George-street, where seats can be secured six days in advance.
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The audiences are respectfully requested not to leave their seats until the fall of the curtain, as the interest of the Comedy is maintained up to the final tableaux.
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Return Fare 3s. Luncheon provided.

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COURSE OF SIX LECTURES,
by the Eminent Astronomer,
Mr. RICHARD A. PROCTOR,
whose lectures in the neighbouring colonies have excited intense interest amongst all classes.
The subject of the opening Lecture will be
The
LIFE and DEATH OF A WORLD
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"End is there none to the Universe of God;
Lo, also, there is no beginning."
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ADMISSION: Reserved Seats, 4s; Unreserved and Balcony, 2s.
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R. S. SMYTHE.

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THIRD LECTURE of WINTER COURSE,
by ALEXANDER GORDON, Esq.
Subject—"Freedom of thought in matters of religious belief—its use and abuse."
At PROTESTANT HALL, on TUESDAY, August 17.
Admission free.
DAVID WALKER, Gen. Sec.

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RABBI DAVIS on "HELL AND THE DEVIL,"
at the Masonic Hall, York-street,
WEDNESDAY, August 11, 1880,
in aid of the Jewish Home.
Tickets at MOSS'S, Hunter-street, and all the music-sellers.

GLEBE MUTUAL IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.—A popular LECTURE will be delivered in the Glebe Presbyterian Church, in connection with the above, by the Rev. A. C. GILLIES on THURSDAY EVENING, 12th instant. Subject: Moses—his life, character, and death. Admission free.
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Introduction, early discovery of photography, Daguerre, Niepce, Fox Talbot, Humphrey Davy, Gustave le Gray, Scott Archer, the collodion process, dry collodion, emulsions, photolithography, phototypography, woodbury process, fatty ink processes, carbon process, photo-xylography, &c., &c., photography applied to the oxy-hydrogen lime-light.
Admission free.
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THEATRE ROYAL.
SUNDAY EVENING, AUGUST 8, 1880.
MR. CHARLES BRIGHT.
BIBLE STORIES.—CONCLUDING SERIES.
LECTURE V.
"THE MIRACLES OF JESUS."
Doors open at 7. Commence at 7.30.
Sittings as usual.

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Exhibition Notices.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION COMMISSION.
NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS.
The EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER wishes it to be understood that, as a certain quantity of exhibits has been already forwarded to Melbourne, and very little time now remains before the date fixed by the Commissioners for the Melbourne Exhibition as the limit to the reception of exhibits within the building, exhibits which are not delivered at the N.S.W. Court of the Garden Palace at an early date will be liable to exclusion.
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A LICENSED and MINING SURVEYOR, who has been for some time resident at Vegetable Creek, is prepared to inspect, report upon, and furnish plans, &c., of mining properties in the New England district. References, Bischoff, Vegetable Creek Post Office.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Those who wish to obtain the above made on the latest English principles should consult Mr. J. E. CARTER, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist, from London, who guarantees perfect fit, mastication, and natural appearance, at a very moderate cost. Painless extraction by the Nitrous Oxide Gas. All dental operations skilfully performed. Consultations free at Mr. Carter's residence, 33 (late 20), College-street, Hyde Park.

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EYE, EAR, and THROAT SPECIALIST.—Dr. SPARK may be consulted at 26, College-street, Hyde Park.

ECLECTIC REMEDIES.—Mr. G. SELFE, formerly of University College Hospital, London, may be consulted on all diseases daily, mornings and evenings, at his Pharmacy and Dispensary, 85, Oxford-street. Advice Gratis.

FUNERALS.—WALTER STEWART, Undertaker. Cedar Merchant, Sawmill, &c., Bathurst and Pitt streets.

F. B. HALES, Broker, Stock, Station, House, Land, Estate, and General Commission Agent,
39, George-street, between King and Hunter streets.

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JOHN SIMS, Box Mangle Maker, late of Oxford-street, now of Selwyn-street, off Botany-street, Moore Park.

KNAPP, E. J. H., Licensed Surveyor (Real Property Act) and Valuator, 152, Elizabeth-street. Claims for compensation, "Lands Acquisition Act," and Applications "City of Sydney Improvement Act" conducted.

LADIES.—Please to postpone your Shopping until MONDAY, when HOPKINS and ALFORD will commence selling all their stock, more or less damaged by the late GAS EXPLOSION.
See "Public Notices" column in to-day's Herald.

MR. A. BURNE, SURGICAL and MECHANICAL DENTIST, 28, Regent-street.

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MR. R. DOWNES, late Apothecary, Army Medical Staff, may be consulted on all diseases at his Dispensary, 281, Pitt-street, near School of Arts. Teeth extracted, and other dental operations. Advice gratis.

SHIRTS wanting new Fronts, Cuffs, or Collars, repaired. Parisian Factory, 352, George-street (over Mountcastle's).

SPECTACLE MAKERS. — HAWKSFORD and SONS, 30, Oxford-st., Burdekin's Colonnade, and 61, Market-st., near Pitt-st. Glass Spects., 2s 6d, 3s 6d, 5s 6d; Pebb., 7s 6d; Pebbles made to order, 10s 6d. Gold and Sil. Spects. made to order.

W. G. HIBBLE, House Painter and Decorator, 125, King-street, Sydney; and Newtown Road.

Tenders.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.
TENDERS will be received at the Council Chambers, Waverley, until TUESDAY, the 10th instant, at 6 p.m. (endorsed "Tender for Fencing"), from persons willing to supply material and labour for erecting about
100 rod 5-feet Picket Paling Fence.
Specifications on view at the Council Chambers.
The highest or any tender not to be necessarily accepted.
WM. WILEY, Secretary
Waverley Park Trust.
Council Chambers, Waverley, 4th August, 1880.

BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD.
TENDERS are invited for the undermentioned, to close on MONDAY, the 16th instant, at 7 p.m., viz.:—
For forming footpaths on Parramatta Road, opposite Mortley's.
For cleansing all watertables, &c., for remainder of municipal year.
Particulars and specifications to be obtained at Council-chambers.
DANIEL HOLBOROW, Mayor.
Ashfield, 4th August, 1880.

BOROUGH OF NEWTOWN.
TENDERS will be received until 4 p.m. on TUESDAY, 10th instant, for 120 yards Kerbing and Guttering, in O'Connell Ward. Particulars at Town-hall.
C. A. VIVIAN, Council Clerk.
Town-hall, Newtown, 4th August, 1880.

BUILDERS are requested to TENDER for the erection of a Dwelling-house, at South Kingston. Plans at the office, 19, Hunter-street. WM. M. MARTIN, Architect.

FOR SALE BY TENDER.
THE YARRANONG ESTATE, Bega, the well-known property of the late Captain Campbell, containing 635 acres 1 rood and 11 perches, freehold, of the richest corn-growing and dairy land in the colony of New South Wales. This extremely valuable property is situated half a mile from the township of Bega. The improvements comprise a beautiful residence, built of brick and cement, 14-inch walls, 8 feet verandah 72 feet long, iron roof over shingles. The apartments comprise entrance hall, drawing-room, dining-room, 5 bedrooms, pantry, closets, kitchen and servants' room detached, 2 tanks, flower garden; also storeroom, 25 x 12, containing 2 rooms, stable, coachhouse and harness rooms; also, small cottage, orchard, and stockyards. This property is bounded by the Bega River, and is subdivided into five paddocks, ranging from 30 to 220 acres. The lease of this property terminated on the 30th June and was then returning for a term of years £700 per annum, and it is believed that a considerably higher rent can now be obtained.
This property has recently been fully described in the TOWN AND COUNTRY JOURNAL. Its merits for corn growing, dairy and cheese producing are fully established. As a gentleman's residence, it is all that can be desired, and it is believed, much inducement having been offered, that sold in small farms it would prove a splendid investment.
The intention is positively to sell, to wind up the trusts of the Estate.
The successful tenderer will be required to pay one-fourth cash upon acceptance of his tender, and the balance on execution of the conveyance. Possession can be given at once.
Mr. Kennedy, in charge, will show the premises.
All tenders to be addressed as under, and must be lodged with the undersigned not later than FRIDAY, the 27th August, on which day they will be closed, and opened on the following. Further particulars may be obtained on application to
FINLAY and CAMPBELL,
Belmore-square, Goulburn.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF RYAN AND DENMEADE, Confectioners, Sydney.
The Trustees invite TENDERS for the Stock, Plant, and Book Debts of the above Estate. Inventory and all particulars may be seen at the Office of the undersigned, where tenders must be delivered by 9 a.m. on MONDAY, 9th instant.
The Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.
WILLIAM LIGGINS, Accountant, 20, Wynyard-street.
Sydney, 4th August, 1880.

No. 80-101. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 30th July, 1880.
SIX THOUSAND POUNDS CORPORATION DEBENTURES.
SEALED TENDERS will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock, on TUESDAY, the 10th August, from persons willing to advance the whole or any part of SIX THOUSAND POUNDS upon Cattle Sale Yard Debentures of £100 each, to be issued under the 132nd section of the Corporation Act of 1879, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum for a currency of 10 years from 1st July, 1880.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT,
Town Clerk.

No. 80-106. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 2nd August, 1880.
SYDNEY SEWERAGE WORKS.
TIME EXTENDED to 11 o'clock, TUESDAY, 10th instant, for receiving TENDERS for the 12-inch STONEWARE SEWER and Concrete Channel at BLACKWATTLE CREEK.
Tenderers are informed that further particulars respecting the above work may be obtained on applying to the City Engineer.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

No. 80-103. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 30th July, 1880.
TO CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS will be received at this office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 10th August, for Cutting down, Re-formation, &c., of Botany-street, in accordance with plan and specification to be seen at the office of the City Surveyor.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT,
Town Clerk.

TO LET or FOR SALE, by TENDER.—TENDERS will be received up to the 1st September next for the purchase or rental of those large and commodious PREMISES in Wallace-street, Braidwood, known as KINGSLAND'S COMMERCIAL HOTEL. The house is in first-class order, and the stables can accommodate sixteen horses. There are four coaches running to it daily, and a great number of passengers to and from Goulburn, Araluen, Moruya, and Bega make it their house of call.
Possession can be given on the first October next.
The Stock and furniture can be taken at a valuation.
Inspection is invited, and comment on its commercial value is unnecessary.
For further particulars apply to Messrs. ALLT and CO., Pitt-street.
JOHN KINGSLAND, Commercial Hotel, Braidwood.

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.
TENDERS are hereby invited for the Erection of a House at Bethungra Park, Illabo, on the Southern Railway.
Plans and Specifications to be seen at the Architect's Office and at the Express Office, Wagga Wagga.
Tenders to be delivered to the undersigned on the 18th of August next.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
BENJAMIN BACKHOUSE, Architect,
George-street.
July 21, 1880.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of New BANKING PREMISES for the COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY, in OXFORD-STREET, Sydney.
The works may be tendered for as follows:—
1. Excavation, drainage, masonry, and brickwork
2. Carpenter's and joiner's work, and all finishing trades
3. Or the whole of the works in one sum.
Plans and specifications may be seen on application at the offices of the architects, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before WEDNESDAY, 25th instant.
MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects,
121, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO BUILDERS.
Separate TENDERS will be received up to SATURDAY, 14th, for the Erection of a small House, at Hansonia Paddock, Newtown.
Plans and specifications and further particulars may be obtained at the office of
THOMAS ROWE, Architect,
Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street.

TO MASONS.
TENDERS will be received up to 4 o'clock on MONDAY, 23rd, for the Erection of a Sea-wall, Bathing Pond, Terrace Walls, &c., at "Chatsworth," Potts Point, for J. C. Roberts, Esq., ex-Mayor. Plans and specifications and full particulars may be obtained at the offices of
THOMAS ROWE, Architect,
Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received until SATURDAY, 14th instant, for the Erection of a Factory, &c., in Phillip-street.
Works may be tendered for as follows, viz.:—
1st. Excavation, masonry, and brickwork.
2nd. Carpentery, joinery, and finishing trades.
3rd. The whole in one sum.
Plans, specification, and full particulars, may be obtained at my Office, 131, Bell's-chambers, Pitt-street.
ALBERT BOND, Architect.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the MASONRY and BRICKWORK of TWO VILLAS on the Boulevard, Petersham.
Plans and specification may be seen on application to the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be delivered on the 18th instant.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Junr., Architect,
Pitt and Park streets.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are required for Additions to St. Thomas's Church, Balmain. Plans and specification to be seen on application at the Office of the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be addressed not later than MONDAY, 23rd August.
BLACKET and SON,
Architects,
95, Pitt-street.

TOWN HALL, ALEXANDRIA.
TENDERS are invited for ERECTION of Town Hall, until SATURDAY, 14th August. Plans, specifications, and full particulars, on application at my office, 141, Pitt-street, opposite City Bank.
FERDINAND H. REUSS, Jun., C.E.,
Architect.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS required for a Weatherboard Cottage, at Manly.
For plans, &c., apply to
CHAS. H. MAY, Jun.,
Architect, &c.
Corner of George and Hunter streets.

TENDERS invited for the Labour of Brickwork of 24 Houses; also, Carpenters' and Plasterers' work for same. Open till 14th instant. G. L. BLUNT.
Albert Ground, Redfern.

TENDERS required for the purchase of several old buildings (two-storied), in Pitt-street South. Particulars at the office of BLACKMANN and PARKES, Architects, 267, George-street.

TO BUILDERS.—Whole or separate TENDERS are invited until 9th August, for the Erection and Completion of two detached VILLAS at Petersham. D. W. RYAN, Architect, 141, Pitt-street, opposite City Bank.

TO BUILDERS.—Whole or separate TENDERS are invited until 12th instant, for the Brickwork and Finishing Trades of a SCHOOL, at Parramatta, for Archdeacon Rigney. D. W. RYAN, Architect, 141, Pitt-street, opposite City Bank.

TENDERS invited for the Plastering of 2 Cottages at Gowrie-st., Erskineville-lane, Newtown; close August 14. J. Clark, 206, Pitt-street.

TO BRICKLAYERS.—TENDERS required for building a heating Furnace; labour only. For particulars, apply Fletcher's Foundry, Newtown.

TENDERS required for Carpenters' and Joiners' Work of a weatherboard Cottage, labour only. Inquire Redfern-street, one door from Morehead-street, Redfern, after 1 o'clock.

TENDERS required by SATURDAY, for brickwork, labour only, at Camperdown. C. MAYES, 82, King-street.

TENDERS.—Quantities of Butti Reservoir, near Maitland, and other Government works. C. Mayes, 84, King-st.

TENDERS invited for FORMATION of a Roadway. Apply John Young, contractor's office, St. Mary's Cathedral.

TENDERS for Supply of Six Galvanized Iron TANKS, 350 gallons each, wanted. A. Jaques, Pearson-st., Balmain.

TENDERS for Pavilions at Balmain have been accepted. W. M. MARTIN, Architect.

TENDER for Plastering and Shingling two Cottages, Park-street, near Callan Park, Balmain. A PENELUNA.

TENDERS wanted, Brickwork, Dwelling, North Willoughby. D. Etherington, Milson's Point, op. Dind's Hotel.

TENDERS wanted, for Plumbing, Plastering, and Slating two Houses. H. TOOSE, Burwood, nr. Station.

TENDERS wanted for an additional Brick Building. Apply 34, Little Gipps-street, Surry Hills.

VICTORIA THEATRE.—TENDERS are invited for Purchase of the LAND on which the late Theatre stood; and also for the HOTEL and SHOP in Pitt-street. The property has 71 feet 3 inches to Pitt-street; mean depth is 141 feet 3 inches.
Tenders to be sent to Mr. J. F. JOSEPHSON, Enmore, Newtown, on or before the 15th August next, marked "Tender" on envelope.

Religious Announcements.

A NEW CHURCH SOCIETY, Rosehill-street, Redfern.—Divine worship 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. every Sabbath.

ASHFIELD.—ST. DAVID'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. GEORGE MAC INNES, M.A., B.D., TO-MORROW—Morning and Evening.

ANNIVERSARY SERMONS.
In connection with the 43rd Anniversary of Surry Hills Wesleyan Sunday school, TO-MORROW, 8th August, SERMONS will be preached in Bourke-street Church, at 11 a.m., by the Rev. GEORGE LANE, and at 7 p.m., by the Rev. WILLIAM KELYNACK, D.D., President of Conference; and
A PUBLIC MEETING
will be held at 3 p.m., at which a selection of Sacred Song will be rendered by the Juvenile Choir. Several papers will be read by scholars, Prizes and Rewards will be distributed, and, as time may serve, short addresses will be delivered by the Rev. W. C. THOMPSON and other gentlemen.
On TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST,
A TEA MEETING will be held in the schoolroom at 6.30; Tickets, 1s; and at 7.30,
THE ANNUAL MEETING
will be held in the Church; the Rev. Dr. KELYNACK will preside. After the reading of the Report, a DIALOGUE will be rehearsed by a number of the Senior Scholars, and addresses will be delivered by the Ministers of the Circuit and other gentlemen.
A COLLECTION will be made on each occasion.
S. B. DOWSETT, Hon. Sec.
P.S.—The Conductors of the School have to ask their friends, the pewholders in the gallery, for a repetition of their accustomed kindness in giving up their seats for the morning service. Every exertion will be made for their accommodation in the body of the Church.

BALMAIN WEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. Geo. Grimm, M.A., To-morrow, morning and evening.

BOURKE-ST. CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. T. JOHNSON, To-morrow, Morning and Evening.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Woolloomooloo.—SERVICES every LORD'S DAY, in Read's Assembly Hall, William-street. TO-MORROW—Rev. A. W. MURRAY, Evening. Mr. THOS. MITCHELL, Evangelistic Address.

CHALMERS' CHURCH.—Dr. BEG, "Working Classes and the Sabbath and Sydney School of Arts."

CROWN-ST. PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. R. MOWBRAY, at 11; Rev. B. KENNY, at 7.

CHRISTADELPHIANS meet at Room, Pitt and Hay streets, SUNDAY, at 11. THURSDAY, Bible Class, 7.30 p.m. If you desire a return to Apostolic teaching and practice, they will assist you.

FRANK WARDEN.—Frank Warden, being very ill, requests assistance of kind minister or friend to hold his Services TO-MORROW, Ward's Rooms, Pitt-street. Call 9, Ann-street, Surry Hills.

FREE CHRISTIAN ADDRESSES
will be delivered by the
Rev. JOHN ALEX. DOWIE,
on SUNDAY next, August 8, in the Opera House, King-street.
Morning, at 11 o'clock—"The King's Palace."
Evening, at 7 o'clock—"Homeward Bound."
Ira D. Sankey's Hymns are used at these meetings.
No charge for admission to the Opera House.
A collection made to defray expenses.
All classes are earnestly and heartily invited.
A SOCIAL GATHERING and Tea Meeting of the Friends and Supporters of this Mission will be held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, August 11. Tea on tables at 7 o'clock. Tickets, 1s 6d; children, half-price. Selections of Instrumental and Vocal Music will be given during the evening.

KENT-ST. PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.—Mr. T. JAMES, at 11; Rev. O. G. STEEL, at 7. PYRMONT.—Rev. O. G. STEEL, at 11; Rev. C. WATERS, at 7. BALMAIN, Cox's Room.—Rev. C. WATERS, at 11; Mr. TYAS, at 7.

MASONIC TEMPLE, Clarence-street.—Gospel Address Sunday evening (D.V.), at 7, by Mr. LOUDON.

MID-DAY PRAYER MEETING, Temperance Hall, 1 to 1.50.—On Monday, Rev. P. H. Cornford to preside; Tuesday, Rev. R. S. Willis, M.A.; Wednesday, Rev. G. M'Intosh; Thursday, Rev. H. Macready; Friday, Mr. David Walker.

MR. THOMAS SPURGEON will preach in the Theatre Royal on SUNDAY AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, instead of at the Masonic Hall, as previously announced. As so many were disappointed last Sunday, it has been deemed necessary to secure more ample accommodation. Collection to defray expenses. Sankey's hymns.

NEWTOWN WESLEYAN CHURCH.—Sunday, 8th, 11 a.m., Rev. W. E. Bourne; 7 p.m., Rev. W. W. Rutledge.

NEWTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Anniversary TEA MEETING will be celebrated in the Oddfellows' Hall, Newtown, on TUESDAY, 10th August. Tea on the tables at half-past 6 sharp.
Admission, 1s 6d; children, 1s.

NEW SOUTH WALES CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.
A CONFERENCE, in connection with the Union, will be held in Pitt-street Congregational Schoolroom, on TUESDAY EVENING NEXT, 10th August, at 7.30 p.m. Papers will be read as follows:—
1. What parents expect from the Sunday school—Mr. W. C. Renwick
2. What Sunday school teachers expect from parents and the Church—Mr. John Henderson.
An open discussion will follow the reading of the papers. Each speaker to be limited to eight minutes.
Sunday school teachers of all denominations, and friends of the institution, are cordially invited to attend.
ROBERT THOS. ORR, Secretary.

PALMER-STREET CHURCH.—To-morrow, the Rev. Dr. M'GIBBON, morning and evening, usual hours.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Regent-st., Redfern.—Rev. T. J. Curtis, 11 and 7. Botany, Rev. R. Kay, M.A., 3.15.

PROTESTANT HALL.—Evangelistic Address by Mr. W. BYRNES TO-MORROW EVENING, at 7.

PROTESTANT HALL, Sunday, 3 p.m.—Pastor D. Allen: English Bishops marching round St. Paul's in scarlet.

PETERSHAM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. JAMES PATON conducts Divine SERVICE in Carmyle House, Petersham, each Sabbath. Morning at 11; evening at 7.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—In consequence of many appeals the Rev. J. JEFFERIS will redeliver his discourse on "CITIZENSHIP AND ITS DUTIES," on SUNDAY EVENING next.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—The Rev. JAMES JEFFERIS, LL.B., will PREACH in the Morning; and in the Evening will Preach. Subject: "Citizenship, and its Duties."

PYRMONT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. A. GARDINER, M.A., will Lecture on WEDNESDAY EVENING at half-past 7 o'clock. Subject, "Dr. Guthrie, his Life and Work." Collection for repair fund.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, behind Cathedral.—Rev. Dr. Moore White To-morrow, 11 and 7.

STANMORE WESLEYAN CHURCH.—Morning Rev. J. H. FLETCHER; Evening, Rev. GEORGE LANE.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.
The Rev. Canon GOODMAN, of Victoria, will PREACH on SUNDAY MORNING.

SYDNEY SOCIETY OF THE NEW CHURCH.—A SERVICE is held every SUNDAY EVENING, at 7 o'clock, at the Society's Rooms, New Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, up stairs. Subject, SUNDAY next:—"The Grand Man."

UNITARIAN CHURCH, Liverpool-street.—Service at 11 a.m.—Conducted pro tem. by Dr. STANLEY, formerly Minister of the Macquarie-street Church. Subject TO-MORROW: "By their fruits ye shall know them."

WESLEYAN CHURCH, William-street.—Morning, Rev. Dr. Kelynack; Evening, Rev. W. E. Bourne.

YORK-STREET WESLEYAN CHURCH.
A SOCIAL REUNION of the Members and Friends of the York-street Circuit will take place on WEDNESDAY EVENING, August 18th, to consider the best means of reducing the debt in connection with the Circuit Finances.
Old friends cordially invited.
TEA in the Schoolroom at 6.30 p.m.
COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS may be obtained from the Ministers of the Circuit.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—MEETING for Young Men, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at the Rooms, corner Park and Pitt-streets, at 7.30.
DAVID WALKER, Gen. Sec.

BATHURST-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—A Social TEA MEETING will be held on MONDAY EVENING, August 9, to give friends an opportunity of meeting Mr. THOS. SPURGEON. Tea on tables at half-past 6. Public meeting to be addressed by Mr. Spurgeon, Rev. P. H. Cornford, T. Hibberd, D. Fenwick, W. Taylor, and other ministers and friends. Tickets, 1s 6d each.

MARINERS' CHURCH.—The Half-yearly Tea and Public MEETING, on TUESDAY EVENING, 24th inst.

THE REV. J. FRAZER'S LECTURE—"Some Tendencies of Modern Thought"—appears IN EXTENSO in this week's SYDNEY MAIL.

ADDRESS TO THE BISHOP OF NEWCASTLE.
An ADDRESS to the Bishop of Newcastle from the Clergy of the Diocese of Sydney, to be presented after his arrival, is now lying at the Church Society's House for signature, where it will remain until FRIDAY, the 13th instant.
WILLIAM M. COWPER.

FIVE POUNDS to £500 to LEND, on good security. All business strictly private. S. S. JOEL, Auctioneer, 106, King-street.

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A FEW FACTS ABOUT THE LAND.

On the 10th of last June the Colonial Treasurer made use of the following words in his place in Parliament:—"In asking the wool-producers to pay an export tax upon wool we are only asking them to pay on what is to them an annual source of income; and in asking the stockowners to pay sixpence per head upon their horses and cattle, it is only asking them for a rental more commensurate with the privilege they enjoy." Whatever opinion may be entertained as to the merits of a wool or stock tax, it is almost universally admitted that the rents paid for the use of the public estate are far too low. Sir John Robertson has admitted that, even in his warmest defence of his old law. The Farnell-Fitzpatrick Government admitted it to such an extent as to propose a minimum charge of fourpence per head of sheep, and twenty pence per head of cattle and horses any run might be appraised as capable of carrying. And now the Parkes-Robertson Government has admitted it by proposing a tax equal to a penny per head on sheep, and sixpence per head on cattle, in addition to the rent already charged for the leases; although the wool and stock of freeholders also were to have been liable to the same impost. Such a consensus of opinion coming from successive Administrations must be the prelude to a practical solution of the difficulty at no distant date. Meanwhile accurate information as to the extent of the interests involved is of the first importance to the legislator, and of some moment to the general public. Putting together the agricultural and live stock returns for the year ended on the 31st of last March we get the following synopsis of the number of agricultural landowners, each occupying more than one acre, the area under cultivation, the total area held, the number of stockowners, and the quantity of stock said to be held. For the sake of getting a uniform standard of comparison, we have reduced the horses and cattle to their equivalent of sheep, reckoning five of the latter to one of the former. The actual stock returned consisted of 360,038 horses, 2,914,210 horned cattle, 29,043,392 sheep, and 256,026 pigs; a number which we believe to be considerably below the truth:—

Police Districts.	No. of Landholders.	No. of Stockholders.	Area held for Agriculture.	Area in Cultivation.	No. of Stock in equivalent of Sheep.
			Acres.	Acres.	
Oxley or Hay ...	550	515	2,374,962	2,993	4,972,534
Dubbo ...	696	719	288,280	9,185	2,413,479
Forbes ...	666	605	489,261	8,071	2,182,931
Deniliquin ...	768	528	2,279,478	7,697	2,042,233
Wagga Wagga ...	774	715	1,191,850	10,769	2,022,404
Warialda ...	383	382	383,600	2,054	1,735,220
Mitchell ...	73	100	31,834	36	1,732,497
Armidale ...	895	859	565,781	12,672	1,552,805
Albury ...	1,281	1,237	1,369,817	52,357	1,459,578
Balranald ...	63	67	27,207	792	1,153,591
Cooma ...	615	627	542,445	8,396	1,122,704
Bourke ...	30	68	7,192	10	1,117,476
Brewarrina ...	47	90	13,636	14	1,059,929
13 with most stock ...	6,841	6,513	9,565,363	114,446	24,567,382
Walgett ...	46	70	34,731	...	975,135
Narrabri ...	182	190	164,362	877	973,453
Richmond River	1,059	964	866,696	12,610	931,991
Coonamble ...	262	203	242,287	2,807	901,118
Gundagai ...	776	746	503,832	1,193	717,373
Wentworth ...	77	75	69,158	429	689,426
Young ...	708	651	425,878	19,391	681,419
Goulburn ...	1,228	1,190	670,816	17,920	666,175
Glen Innes ...	281	272	150,596	4,304	657,536
Tamworth ...	723	711	634,531	15,482	643,692
Queanbeyan ...	572	539	520,004	8,524	635,236
Yass ...	764	697	503,736	12,690	599,191
Gunnedah ...	181	162	490,453	13,815	571,146
Bathurst ...	1,219	1,159	252,026	45,548	511,951
14 over half a million each ...	8,078	7,639	5,029,048	155,790	10,154,842
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50 others ...	24,999	23,355	8,127,191	365,405	10,948,434
77 Total ...	39,918	37,557	22,721,602	635,641	45,670,658

The whole of these 22,721,602 acres, said to be held for agricultural purposes, consists of freehold land; for, although 2,142,524 acres are under lease, they are not leased from the Crown, but from private owners. How is it that for such an immense area of freehold land, "held for agricultural purposes," only 635,641 acres are under cultivation? Such a nomenclature is self-contradictory, and there can be little doubt that the twenty-two million acres are used for pastoral purposes, leaving only the fraction of a million for agriculture. In the police district of Oxley or Hay, for instance, there is the largest area of purchased land, but out of the whole 2,374,962 acres said to be "held for agriculture," only 2993 acres are under cultivation, while in the same district the live stock is equivalent to 4,972,534 head of sheep. In the thirteen police districts with the largest quantity of stock there are 9,565,363 acres of freehold land said to be "held for agriculture," of which only 114,446 acres are cultivated, and nearly half of that in the single district of Albury. But within the same police districts the live stock is equal to 24,567,382 head of sheep, or more than half the whole number of live stock within the colony. How much stock is run upon freehold land, and how much upon Crown leaseholds cannot be estimated from any data yet published by the Government. But so far as we are able to judge, the same stock is run upon both, the freehold grass being reserved until the leaseholds have been eaten off. The great pastoral freeholds must be included within these agricultural returns, because they contain an aggregate area only six million acres less than the whole freehold land existing in the colony at the present date, free selections, free grants, and all other forms of alienation included.

Let us suppose these twenty-two million acres of freehold land which is not under cultivation to be used for pastoral purposes, as it evidently must be if it is used at all: at a pound per acre, it represents a capital of as many millions sterling, on which the interest at 6 per cent., the free selector's rate to the Government, is £1,100,000 per annum, and at the bank rate of 8 per cent. for such property, £1,760,000 per annum. The free selectors are actually paying at the former rate on their outstanding balances of purchase money, and the pastoral tenants, who have been buying up their runs of late years in immense blocks of from fifty thousand to a quarter of a million acres, could not get accommodation at the banks on much easier terms than those above named. Let our readers work out this simple rule-of-three sum: if twenty-two million acres of private land are worth interest at from a million to two millions sterling per annum, what ought the Government to receive for 148,444,960 acres of Crown lands which were held under lease at the date of our last published returns? The actual rent for which they were liable was just £211,452 12s. 11d. If these facts are not a most emphatic condemnation of our land laws, or of their administration, or of both, there is no abuse in the world that ought not to pass uncondemned henceforth.

To put the matter in another light, we will accept, for the sake of argument, the contention of those who maintain that half the live stock within the colony is fed on freehold land. According to the latest returns, that would give an equivalent of about twenty-two million head of sheep, or one sheep per acre of this freehold land said to be "held for agriculture," but which is not under cultivation. At that rate, each sheep costs a shilling per annum in interest at 5 per cent. on the purchase-money alone. Were the Farnell-Fitzpatrick Government very far wrong when they proposed an appraisement at the rate of fourpence per head of sheep for lands under pastoral lease? If one half the live stock within the colony is fed on freehold land, the other half must be fed on leasehold land, and a rent of half a million sterling would only be two and a-half per cent. on the capital necessary to purchase one-sixth of the area now under pastoral lease. Which would pay the grower of wool and meat best, 8 per cent. to the banks for twenty-two million acres of land, or 2½ per cent. to the Government for six times that area?

It will probably be said in reply, that a high rent is incompatible with a precarious tenure. We admit that plea to the full, and it is a powerful argument against the universal liability to free selection. What can three quarters of a million of people want with two hundred million acres of land? More than half of them are settled in towns, and have not the wish, the means, or the qualifications to go upon the land for a livelihood. Those who do settle upon the soil with small means should settle near to a market, so that the fruit of their labour may not be eaten up by the cost of carriage, and so that they may be reached by all the appliances of civilized society without an extravagant and ruinous expenditure. But even as things are now, two-thirds of the colony might just as well be let absolutely for five years as conditionally from week to week. Where there is any competition the fight is not between squatter and settler, but between the big and the small graziers, and neither class contemplates permanent improvement of the land, but simply the command of its natural grass crop. Do the private landowners who are put down in the returns we are using as having leased 2,142,524 acres to farmers, let their farms on such terms as these? They are actually getting in many instances as much rent per annum as the Government gets for the fee simple, and they expect their tenants to improve their farms during their term of occupation. Is it too much to expect of the Government that they should apply a little of this common sense and common guardianship to the management of the Crown lands, which are the common patrimony of the people?

As a proof that the area under the five years' pastoral tenure cannot be decreasing to any considerable extent, and that new lands must be coming under lease as fast as sales take place, we submit the following view of the thirteen pastoral districts for the past three years. The areas are taken from the last Parliamentary return, which unfortunately has not been corrected, as it ought to have been year by year. The annual leases are not included below, but for the last year reported upon they comprised an area of 12,933,280 acres at a rental of £48,125, or exactly four-fifths of a penny per acre, which is three times as much per acre as the five-year leases pay:—

Pastoral Districts.	No. of runs let for 1878.	1879.	1880.	Estimated area in 1878. Acres.
Albert ...	713	718	718	35,421,742
Bligh ...	392	388	388	6,686,746
Clarence ...	104	103	106	2,583,881
Darling ...	331	331	331	16,665,506
Gwydir ...	167	167	167	5,827,688
Lachlan ...	614	615	618	19,504,454
Liverpool Plains ...	279	279	278	6,947,432
Macleay ...	24	28	26	363,651
Monaro ...	218	221	219	2,492,721
Murrumbidgee ...	387	387	386	7,072,958
New England ...	163	175	175	4,826,399
Warrego ...	479	480	482	15,332,997
Wellington ...	425	423	421	10,440,221
Total ...	4,296	4,312	4,315	134,967,896
Rent Payable.	—	—	—	Estimated per square mile in 1878.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
Albert ...	19,063	19,332	19,876	0 6 8½
Bligh ...	13,162	13,101	12,990	1 5 1¾
Clarence ...	4,079	3,932	3,965	0 19 6¾
Darling ...	14,569	14,256	13,377	0 11 2
Gwydir ...	10,446	10,181	9,704	1 3 7¼
Lachlan ...	30,281	28,169	26,806	0 18 5½
Liverpool Plains ...	11,096	10,989	10,538	0 19 11¼
Macleay ...	369	367	389	0 12 6¼
Monaro ...	4,705	4,195	4,220	1 1 6¾
Murrumbidgee ...	22,332	20,469	16,377	1 14 11
New England ...	6,096	7,762	8,196	1 3 4
Warrego ...	16,761	17,244	17,828	0 13 5¾
Wellington ...	12,648	15,409	15,661	0 19 1¾
Total ...	168,606	165,426	157,907	0 15 8¼

Here it will be noted that there were sixteen more runs let for 1879 than for 1878, but at a lower rent; and three more runs let for 1880 than for 1879, but at a still greater reduction of rent. Whether the area has been reduced or not cannot be ascertained from any data yet published by Government; but in two years the rent has fallen by the sum of £10,699, as shown by Treasury documents. This is a change in the wrong direction, and utterly inexplicable in view of the acknowledgment made by successive Governments that the pastoral tenants do not pay sufficient rent. The annual grass crop of the colony is worth ten millions per annum when transformed into wool and meat. Make the most liberal allowance for cost of production, and it is still intolerable that out of this ten millions sterling of annual pastoral income the State should receive only £157,907 for the use of two-thirds of its entire area.

In order to make this article as complete as the facts of the case admit of, we will add a statement of the area of land sold each year, from the beginning of our present system of alienation up to the 30th of last June, so far as we have been able to ascertain the truth:—

Year.	Free Selection.	Auction, &c.	Total.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1862 ...	357,280	57,455	414,735
1863 ...	259,370	38,630	298,000
1864 ...	165,617	54,758	220,375
1865 ...	151,450	86,107	237,557
1866 ...	358,652	92,130	450,782
1867 ...	232,176	108,676	340,852
1868 ...	239,516	99,268	338,784
1869 ...	397,329	137,175	534,504
1870 ...	329,318	90,348	419,666
1871 ...	356,682	79,556	436,238
1872 ...	749,587	163,202	912,789
1873 ...	1,391,719	388,879	1,780,598
1874 ...	1,586,282	702,662	2,288,944
1875 ...	1,746,678	1,135,011	2,881,689
1876 ...	1,984,212	1,872,307	3,856,519
1877 ...	1,699,816	2,149,687	3,849,503
1878 ...	1,588,247	1,209,879	2,798,126
1879 ...	924,465	720,452	1,644,917
January to June, 1880	569,830	233,648	803,478
Total ...	15,100,228	9,439,828	24,540,056
Cancelled and forfeited ...	3,380,439		3,380,439
Net area ...	11,719,789	9,439,828	21,159,617
Alienated prior to 1862 ...	......	7,744,545	7,744,545
Total area alienated up to June 30, 1880 ...	11,719,789	17,184,373	28,904,162

BOROUGH COUNCILS.

ASHFIELD.—Meeting of Council held on July 19. Present—The Mayor (Mr. D. Holborow, J.P.), and Aldermen Clissold, Fyle, Hammond, Moss, Nicholson, Read, and Shilling. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. Correspondence: From Alderman Hudson, excusing his absence through illness. From Mr. Rodd, defining localities in which stumps are said to obstruct the road. From Mr. Witney, requesting permission to drain from his premises into the street. Permission refused. From Mr. E. O. Smith, further relative to cesspit on premises, Alt-street. Referred to Works Committee. From Mr. C. F. Camb, offering to pay half cost of kerbing opposite his premises. Offer accepted. A similar offer from Mr. Mortley, Parramatta Road, was also accepted. From Mr J. Little, requesting permission to remove soil from Carlton-crescent. Permission refused. From Mr. W. Freshwater, asking for pipes to be laid opposite his premises. Request granted on usual conditions. From inspector of nuisances, asking to be relieved of his duties. Postponed till next meeting. Questions—Alderman Shilling: Is the Mayor aware that persons are removing soil from Carlton Crescent? No. Alderman Clissold: 1. Is the Mayor aware that persons are cutting turf from Underwood Estate? No. 2. Has the owner of quarry on Parramatta Road been discovered? Yes; a Mr. Reynolds. Alderman Nicholson: Will the Mayor cause proceedings to be taken against persons cutting turf, &c., from our street? Certainly. 2. Will the Government form and make Lackey-street? I think so. Alderman Read: Will the Mayor call inspector's attention to persons depositing rubbish in Julia-street? Yes. Alderman Moss: Has the overseer attended to water-courses in Bland-street? Yes. Alderman Clissold: Has the person building a structure near to Colley's applied for alignment? I do not know. Alderman Fyle: Is the Mayor aware of any promise having been made to Mrs. Bastable to fill up the old drain? I am not. 2. Did the Government pay any portion of the kerbing and guttering on Liverpool Road? Yes, half. Alderman Read: Did the Government contribute to the whole of the kerbing, &c., on Liverpool Road? Yes. Alderman Hammond: Were the guard stones placed across the water-table in Elizabeth-street with the consent of the Council, the same not being at the corner of a street? Yes. 2. May I ask have the trustees of the Ashfield Park taken any steps to improve it, seeing that the money has been voted? This is not a matter within the official cognizance of the Council, but I may state that the money has not yet been received. 3. If an alderman brings forward a notice of motion for work estimated at a cost of £10, is it competent for the Council to pass an immediate amendment affecting the funds of the borough to a greater extent? If so, would it not be voting the funds of the borough without due notice? Reply to No. 1, No; No. 2, Yes. Reports were received from special Finance Committee, from overseer and inspector, and from Finance Committee, recommending payment of accounts amounting to £98 1s. 9d., which was adopted, on the motion of Alderman Moss, seconded by Alderman Clissold. Motions: Alderman Hammond,—"That the Works Committee be requested to report upon the advisability of re-forming Bruce-street, so as to include that portion recently dedicated, and to advise as to covering the same with white or blue metal." Seconded by Alderman Clissold, and carried. "2. That the *Herald* and *Telegraph* newspapers be ordered for the use of the Council." Carried. "3. That tenders be called for 8 chains slabbing in main drain, commencing at that just finished." Carried. By Alderman Hammond,—"That the following rule be adopted by the Council:—That all footpaths, where kerbed and guttered, shall be levelled at the Council's expense; where not kerbed and guttered, owners to pay half the cost." Lost. By Alderman Read,—"That 25 tons of ballast be ordered for the junction of Victoria-street and Canterbury Road." Carried. "2. That the recommendation of the Works Committee that 34 yards kerbing and guttering be laid opposite Mr. Lamb's, by tender, be adopted." Ruled informal by the Mayor. A call of the Council (of which previous notice had been given) was then made. All answered but Alderman Hudson, who was excused on account of illness. Attention having been called by Alderman Read to the absence of date upon the notice requesting the Mayor to call the meeting to make a call of the Council, the Mayor ruled all the notices for the purpose of which the call was made out of order. The Mayor drew attention to the time (it being quarter-past 11), and vacating the chair, requested that if the aldermen wished to continue the meeting they would appoint a chairman. Alderman Hammond was then moved into the chair, but adjourned the meeting. Adjourned meeting held on 26th July. Present—The Mayor (Mr. D. Holborow, J.P.) and Aldermen Clissold, Fyle, Hudson, Moss, Nicholson, and Shilling. Notices of motion, in continuation of last meeting: The notices of motion standing in the name of Alderman Hudson were ruled informal, for want of signature. In the absence of Alderman Moss (who was present at a later period of the evening) the notices of motion standing in his name lapsed. By Alderman Clissold,—"That 15 tons ballast be ordered for junction of Queen and Hanks streets." Seconded by Alderman Hudson and carried. Alderman Clissold (by consent) withdrew the motion standing in his name, relative to kerbing and guttering in Bland-street. By Alderman Shilling,—"That the petitions presented by him on the 5th instant, re dedication of streets on Summer Hill, &c., be now adopted and confirmed." Seconded by Alderman Fyle. Alderman Clissold moved as amendment, seconded by Alderman Hudson,—"That the matter stand over till next meeting." Original motion carried. Alderman Clissold gave notice of protest. The notice of motion of Alderman Shilling with reference to ordering 800 tons white metal for Junction Road, was ruled out of order. Tenders were then considered: For stumping and forming King-street, the tender of Mr. J. Mills was accepted. For kerbing and guttering on Liverpool Road, the tender of Mr. P. O'Donnell. It was decided to call for fresh tenders for clearing watercourses, &c.—E. T. SAYERS, Council-clerk.

THE ART OF CONQUEST IS LOST WITHOUT THE ART OF EATING.—A gentleman writes:—"When I feel out of sorts I take a dose of ENO'S FRUIT SALT one hour before dinner; the effect is all I could wish." How to enjoy good food, that would otherwise cause biliousness, headache, or disordered stomach, use ENO'S FRUIT SALT. All chemists. Price 2s 9d and 4s 6d.—ADV.

PUBLIC COMPANIES.

THE CITY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

The half-yearly meeting was held at the Temperance Hall yesterday. The report shows that the

	£	s.	d.
Balance from last half-year is ...	1,091	4	0
Premiums received ...	9,524	12	4
Interests on investments ...	528	7	2
	£11,144	3	6

The Expenditure is:—

	£	s.	d.
For Charges and expenses of management, rent, stationery, advertising, &c. ...	1,614	13	3
Commission ...	1,516	19	4
Salaries ...	1,078	2	0
Re-insurances ...	1,935	0	0
Fire losses ...	5,482	8	8
	£11,627	3	3

Leaving a debit balance of £482 19s 9d. The reserve fund is £2000, and the whole of the paid-up capital is invested, and bearing interest.

The balance-sheet stands thus:—

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR HALF-YEAR ENDING JUNE 30.

Dr. 1880—June 30.	£	s.	d.
To Charges and expenses of management, rent, advertising, and stationery...	1,614	13	3
Commissions ...	1,516	19	4
Salaries ...	1,078	2	0
Re-insurances ...	1,935	0	0
Fire losses ...	5,482	8	8
	£11,627	3	3
Cr. 1880.—June 30.			
By Balance from last half-year ...	1,091	4	0
Premiums ...	9,524	12	4
Interest received and accrued ...	528	7	2
Profit and loss account ...	482	19	9
	£11,627	3	3

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES AND ASSETS ON 30TH JUNE, 1880.

Dr. 1880.—June 30.	£	s.	d.
To Capital paid up...	14,957	10	0
Amounts due to sundry creditors...	114	7	5
Unclaimed dividends ...	54	17	1
Reserve fund ...	2,000	0	0
Due Bank N. S. Wales ...	994	7	3
	£18,121	1	9
Cr. 1880.—June 30.			
By Cash invested ...	15,250	0	0
Accrued interest ...	685	4	0
Office furniture, Sydney and Melbourne ...	388	5	8
Amounts due by agents and others ...	1,314	12	9
Balance...	482	19	9
	£18,121	1	9

RESERVE FUND.

June 30.	£	s.	d.
By amount of credit ...	2,000	0	0

PROTESTANT HALL COMPANY.

The following is the ninth half-yearly report:—

Your directors again present to you their report of another half-year's operations of the Company. We see no reason to depart from the usual custom of congratulating you on the success which has attended them. The first three months of the period were unusually slack as regards the letting of the main hall. This was felt by all the Hall Companies in the city; but during the last three months it has been tolerably well occupied in doing more than an average business. The total receipts from all sources were £610 9s 6d, including £437 15s from rents, &c., and the total expenses (including a refund of £12 5s to shares account) were £316 18s 8d, thus giving for the half-year a clear gain of £120 16s 4d. Seventy-three shares have been disposed of, and fifty shares upon which part payment has been made have been declared by the Board as forfeited. The amount of interest to Bank for overdraft for the half-year amounted to £11 16s 7d, and the like to the Australian Mutual Provident Society amounted to £120, making a total of interest of £131 16s 7d. There have been no very special expenses in connection with your property. We have to acknowledge that in lieu of a lecture promised to the company by the Rev. Pastor Chiniquy, that gentleman has presented the company with £50, for which he has received a letter of acknowledgment and thanks from your directors; other donations have come to hand of a minor character, making a total of £56 11s. The Bank overdraft has been reduced by £254 11s., leaving it to the 30th June at £121 10s 7d, which we feel sure will be speedily extinguished. Viewed as a whole, this report must be accepted as favourable. It is standing proof that your property is improving in the estimation of the public, and is doing a fair share of the hall business. Were we but rid of the incubus of debt, we might with good reason boast of having one of the most profitable concerns of its kind in the city.

BALANCE SHEET TO JUNE 30, 1880.

Dr. LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Capital, £8000.						
To 4963 shares fully paid ...	4963	0	0			
308 ditto paid to 15s per share ...	231	0	0			
75 ditto ditto 5s ditto ...	18	15	0			
161 ditto ditto 13s nearly ...	105	14	0			
				5318	9	0
5507						
50 shares forfeited paid to ...				15	6	0
Australian Mutual Provident Society	4000	0	0			
Interest to date ...	48	13	1			
				4048	13	1
Bank of N. S. Wales overdraft ...				121	10	7
Auditors ...				7	10	0
Balance, profit and loss account ...				442	0	2
				£9953	8	10
Cr. ASSETS.						
By Freehold land ...	1700	0	0			
Building ...	7864	0	11			
				9564	0	11
Furniture ...				254	4	6
Cash paid on shares forfeited ...				15	6	0
Good debts ...				119	17	5
				£9953	8	10

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To interest ...	131	16	7			
Refund to shares reinstated ...	12	5	0			
Printing and stationery ...	6	14	3			
Advertising ...	5	7	0			
Postage ...	2	17	1			
Secretary's salary ...	25	0	0			
Caretaker's salary ...	15	10	0			
Sundry expenses ...	3	5	6			
Repairs ...	8	2	0			
Insurance ...	0	5	0			
Gas ...	43	10	0			
Rates ...	24	10	3			
Auditors' fees ...	7	10	0			
				316	18	8
Balance ...				442	0	2
				£758	18	10
By balance from last half-year ...				315	13	0
Suspense account ...				5	10	10
Rents ...	364	19	0			
Donations ...	56	11	0			
Scrip fees ...	0	19	0			
Cash paid on shares forfeited...	15	6	0			
				437	15	0
				£758	18	10
By balance brought down ...				442	0	2

JUVENILE SMOKING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Dr. Wazir Beg, fighting for a good object, uses his weapons awkwardly; he is like a man who deals a heavy sword-stroke without knowing whether the metal will stand the shock of the encounter, or whether it will attain the point aimed at. Dr. Richardson is beyond doubt a physiologist who has added many facts to his favourite science by hard work and careful experiment; but whether he has added much to his reputation among practical scientific men by his more recent writings and utterances is a matter of doubt; having a strong partisan feeling, and appealing to public opinion, he makes statements the entire correctness of which he would be puzzled to sustain before experts, though up to a certain point they are true enough. The effects of tobacco smoking on the human race, and the effect of the introduction of nicotine to the human system, are rather different things, and the statement that a piece of tobacco placed in the mouth of a child caused death is beside the mark. And if, on the one side, scientific men are found who condemn, there are many who positively assert that its moderate use is harmless. A gentleman wrote to the late principal medical officer of Netley hospital, asking his opinion about the use of tobacco, and the answer was to the effect that "after much careful consideration, he was unable to recall one case in which the disease was attributable to its use." And within the last twelve months I have heard leading men in their branch of the profession deny that "tobacco amaurosis" exists; but that it is rather the result of tobacco, alcohol, and late hours—in one word, dissipation. This is not a question that can be judged by the dicta of two or three enthusiasts, but by the observation of the masses. In the face of the constant use of tobacco, alcohol, tea, and other poisons (?), the physique of the human race is not deteriorating, and the average duration of life is increasing! Does Dr. Beg wonder that tea is called a poison? One undoubted case is on record of its causing delirium tremens, and it is responsible for as much dyspepsia as tobacco.

In many Eastern countries, notably Burmah, children, three and four years of age may be seen strutting along with cigars nearly half as long as themselves, and the mothers frequently hand their cigars over their shoulders for the children slung there to take a pull at. In spite of this, the Burmese are one of the finest races in the East.

I do not pretend to point out any method of checking the use of tobacco; it would be as useless as the effort of the old woman to sweep back the sea with a broom. Boys are not to be frightened by bogies like "angulis pectoris," "amaurosis," &c., and as long as their fathers smoke without harm they will do the same. The great evil is in this—that the practice of smoking enables the youth of the present day to spend time pleasantly in idleness, which would otherwise perhaps be better employed. The aim of every smoker should be to gain the greatest amount of enjoyment from the mildest tobacco, to practice the habit with the greatest attainable cleanliness, and with the least possible annoyance to those who do not sympathise with him in his enjoyment. Yours faithfully,

5th August, 1880. M.

A member asked in the House of Commons on May 31 whether Cetewayo was still in prison. Mr. Grant Duff answered that he remains where he was first confined, and referred to the despatches of the date for a description of his quarters. It is worth transcribing from the Blue-book. "The quarters consist of a large room about fifty feet in length by twenty broad. This room has been partitioned off in three divisions to suit the native taste as regards size, and is intended for the accommodation of the king and his wives only. It is amply provided with rugs, blankets, towels, cloths, and utensils of all sorts. Sleeping mats and many other articles the ex-King brought with him. Outside this room a small yard leads to the cooking place, bath-room, &c., and quarters for the male attendants. Steps lead from thence on to the ramparts where Cetewayo will take exercise and air."

COMMERCIAL.

PROPERTY SALES.

Messrs. Hardie and Gorman have sold the following properties during the past week:—Detached villa residence, with grounds, Concord, Burwood, £2500—Mr. Cape, purchaser; Burwood, lots 10 and 11 Lindsay Thompson's subdivision, 100 feet frontage, £175—Mr. J. Rodd; Woollahra, lots 6 and 7 Tara Estate, leasehold, £20 5s per annum—Mr. Gale; Surry Hills, block of land, Crown-street, £150. Redmyre: The Woodgreen and Strathfield estates sold on the ground last Saturday as follows:—Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, section 2, and lot 16, section 3, 500 feet to Woodward Avenue and Railway-street, £1075—Mr. T. J. Thompson; lots 5, 6, 17, and 18, section 3, 400 feet, £960—Captain Cargill; lots 3, 4, 19, 20, 400 feet, £900—Mr. J. C. Remington; lots 1 and 22, section 3, 200 feet, £430—Mr. Kemp; lots 2 and 3, section 2, 200 feet to Woodgreen Road and Woodward Avenue, £400—Mr. Whiddon; lots 2 and 21, section 3, 200 feet to Woodward Avenue and Railway-street, £400—Mr. J. C. Remington; lots 8 and 9, section 2, 182½ feet to Woodgreen Road and Woodward Avenue, £374 2s 6d, and lot 14, section 3, 82½ feet to Railway-street, £169 2s 6d—Mr. T. J. Thompson; lots 7 and 8, section 3, 200 feet to Woodward Avenue, £350—Mr. Nettleton; lot 1, section 2, 100 feet to Woodgreen Road and Woodward Avenue, £185—Mr. J. Lynch; lot 9, section 3, 82½ feet to Woodward Avenue, £136 2s 6d—Mr. J. Mullens; lot 15, section 3, 100 feet to Railway-street, £625—Mr. T. J. Thompson; lots 19 and 20, section 5, 100 feet to Alviston Road and Woodward Avenue, £135—Mr. J. Lusby; lots 19 and 20, section 4, 100 feet to Woodward Avenue and Railway-street, £125—Mr. Kemp; lots 18 and 21, section 4, 100 feet, £125—Messrs. Tait and Wilson; lot 1, section 4, 83½ feet to Railway-street, £108 11s—Mr. J. Marshall; lot 4, section 4, 83½ feet to Homebush Road, £91 17s—Mr. J. Williams; lot 1, section 5, 90 feet, £99—Mr. E. Day; lots 3 and 4, section 5, 180 feet, £207—Messrs. Tait and Wilson; lots 2, 3, section 4, 167 feet, £16—Dr. Harper; lot 2, section 5, 90 feet, £90—Messrs. Tait and Wilson; lots 17 and 22, section 4, 100 feet to Woodward Avenue and Railway-street, £100—Mr. J. Lynch; lot 21, section 5, 50 feet to Woodward Avenue, £47 10s—Mr. B. C. Williams; lot 18, section 5, 50 feet to Alviston Road, £47 10s—Mr. J. Slade; lots 17 and 22, section 5, 100 feet to Alviston Road and Woodward Avenue, £90—Mr. A. M'Arthur; lot 5, section 4, 50 feet to Woodward Avenue, £42 10s—Mr. E. Day; lot 16, section 5, 50 feet Alviston Road, £45—Mr. Bibb; lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, section 5, 400 feet, £340—Mr. Wright; lot 7, section 5, 50 feet, £42 10s—Mr. J. Barnett; lot 23, section 5, 50 feet to Woodward Avenue, £42 10s—Mr. J. Williams; lots 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, section 5, 350 feet, £297 10s—Mr. Wright; lots 16 and 23, section 4, 100 feet to Railway-street and Woodward Avenue, £85—Mr. J. Lynch; lot 15, section 4, 50 feet to Woodward Avenue, £42 10s—Mr. Brierley; lot 24, section 4, 50 feet to Railway-street, £42 10s—Mr. W. Langley; lots 31 and 32, section 5, 100 feet to Woodward Avenue, £85—Mr. Keating; lots 14 and 25, section 4, 100 feet to Railway-street and Woodward Avenue, £85—Mr. Llewellyn; lots 32, 33, 34, section 4, 150 feet to Railway-street, £127 10s—Dr. Harper; lots 29 and 30, section 4, 100 feet, £82 10s—Mr. J. Lusby; lot 31, section 4, 50 feet, £41 5s—Dr. Harper; lot 6, section 4, 50 feet to Woodward Avenue, £42 10s—Mr. E. Day; lots 9 and 10, section 4, 100 feet, £75; and lots 11 and 26, section 4, 100 feet to Woodward Avenue and Railway-street, £77 10s—Mr. J. Lusby; lots 12, 13, 26, 27, section 4, 200 feet, £170—Mr. J. Kent; lots 5, 6, 33, 34, section 5, 200 feet to Alviston Road and Woodward Avenue, £150—Messrs. Crocker and Lovett; lots 7 and 8, section 4, 100 feet to Woodward Avenue, £75—Mr. Llewellyn; lots 12 and 13, section 1, 100 feet to Woodgreen Road, £173—Mr. M. Rosenthall; lot 19, section 1, 50 feet, £97 10s—Mr. Anderson; lots 9 and 10, section 1, 112 feet 8 inches, £196 8s 9d—Mr. Hopper; lots 14 and 15, section 1, 100 feet, £170—Mr. Noble; lots 16, 17, 18, 20, section 1, 242½ feet, £372—Mr. T. Curley; lot 25, section 1, 82½ feet to Strathfield Avenue, £175 6s 3d—Mr. Cleary; lots 26 and 27, section 1, 100 feet, £200—Mr. Wilkinson; lot 11, section 1, 50 feet to Woodgreen Road, £87 10s—Mr. E. G. Rosenthall.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench sold by auction and private contract, at their rooms, Pitt-street, during the week, the following properties:—The Grafton Wharf, for £50,000—Hon. James Watson and Mr. James Ewan, purchasers; allotment of land, 60 feet to Pitt-street North, near Circular Quay, with buildings thereon, £4331—Mr. F. Weston; four houses, Nos. 290, 292, 294, and 296, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, £3700—Mr. J. J. Yeend; cottage residence, Kent-street, £650—Mr. J. P. Starling; Greta House, No. 140, Randwick Road, Moore Park, £1200—Mr. B. M'Bride; lots 12 and 13, section 1, of Wentworth Paddock, Petersham, 100 feet to Brighton-street, £237 10s—Mr. A. M. Jennett; lot 4, section B, Mrs. Shairp's subdivision, Milson's Estate, St. Leonards, 25 feet 3 inches to Whaling-street, £94 13s 9d—Mr. Jas. Robb; 120 acres of land in colony of New Zealand, £120—Mr. R. Elliott; lots 14 and 16, section 17, subdivision of Underwood Estate, Homebush, £160—Mr. Regg; lots 6 and 7, section 1, Wentworth Paddock subdivision, Petersham, 100 feet frontage to Brighton-street, £225—Mr. A. M. Jennett; Lillis' subdivision, at St. Leonards, as follows:—Lot 10, 30 feet, £76 10s; lot 9, 30 feet, £54; lot 8, 30 feet, £60—Mr. G. L. Coleman; lots 6 and 7, 60 feet, £111—Mr. G. Johnstone; lots 3 to 5, 90 feet, £157 10s—Mr. J. Kearney; lot 2, 30 feet, £52 10s—Mr. J. H. French; lot 1, 60 feet, £105—Mr. S. Cunningham; and the following blocks of land, being portion of Neale's subdivision, Katoomba, Great-Western Railway line, viz.:—lot 16, £184 9s—Mr. G. Hills; lots 20 to 22, £340—Mr. F. Thompson; lot 17, £119 8s 9d—Mr. G. Hills; lots 18 and 19, £180 12s 6d—Mr. W. Relton; lot 15, £400 19s 11d—Mr. G. Hills; lot 14, £74 5s—Mr. J. H. Small; lot 23, £51 12s—Mr. R. W. Wall; lot 12, £63 1s—Mr. G. Hook; also, swamp lands, near Katoomba, comprising in all 13 acres, at from £2 10s to £5 per acre.

W. Pritchard has sold during the week the following properties:—Whaleyborough Estate, section 6, lot 3, 47 feet 6 inches to Elswick-street, £38 per foot—Mr. Waddington, purchaser; lots 4, 5, and 6, each 47 feet 6 inches, at 35s and 40s—Mr. J. Hodge; lot 7, 50 feet to Carlisle-street, at 35s—Mr. J. H. Bayley; lot 10, 50 feet at 37s, and lots 13, 14, and 15, each 50 feet, at 36s and 37s per foot—Mr. Dobson; lot 16, 50 feet, at 38s per foot—Mr. J. Scutts; lot 15, section 7, 50 feet at 35s per foot—Mr. W. Pratt; two allotments of land, Nos. 3 and 4, section 1, each 47 feet 4 inches to Norton-street, at 38s—Mr F. Turner; cottage and land, Allen-street, £99 5s—Mr. W. Stone; allotment of land, No. 12, of Cameron's Estate, Balmain, 49 feet to the terrace, at 40s—Mr. H. Reeve; house and land, Missenden Road, Camperdown, £345—Mr. F. Harrison; cottage and land, Pitt-street, Waterloo, £410—Mrs. C. Keen; cottage and allotment of land adjoining, leasehold, Ultimo Road, Ultimo, £310—Mr. K. Pickering; allotment of land, Alfred-street, 50 feet, at 17s 6d per foot—Mr. L. Bridges; two allotments of land, each 45 feet to the Darling Road, Balmain, at 65s—Mr. G. Burns; allotment of land, 66 feet to Parramatta Road, at 80s per foot—Mr A. O. Bradley.

STOCK, STATION, AND PRODUCE REPORTS.

MAIDEN, HILL, AND CLARK.—Wool: No sales were held this week. Quotations remain same as last report. Sheepskins: The same remarks apply as to wool. A fair number are coming forward for next week's sale. Tallow: Market unaltered, competition by both shippers and the trade continued spirited. We cleared our catalogue at from £20 to £27 15s per ton. Hides: Supply generally short. At to-day's sale heavy weights ruled very firm, but no improvement in value can be reported. Light and dry hides commanded full rates, one line on our catalogue realizing 6½d per lb. Horse hides, calf, and yearlings are in fair request. Kangarooskins in brisk demand for large and sound parcels, others not much inquired for. We cleared a catalogue of 96 lots of hides at from 3¼d to 3¾d for medium and heavy weights; 3¾d to 6½d for light and dry; kangaroo, 6s to 36s per dozen; calf, 6d to 2s 6d; yearlings, 3s to 7s 6d each. Leather: Market unaltered. Kip, tweed, and calf command good attention. Sole is in good request for shipment. Harness descriptions easier. Basils scarce. Quotations are—Kip, 13d to 16d; sole, 8d to 11d; calf, 21d to 14d; yearling, 22d to 24d; harness, 10d to 12d per lb.; bag, 10s to 12s 6d; bridle, 10s to 12s 6d per side; basils, 6s to 12s 6d per dozen. Hairs: Market continues firm. Quotations are—cow, 4½d to 11d; horse, 10d to 15d per lb. Horns and Bones: Good sound lots sell well, others almost unsalable. Quotations—Horns, 5s to 30s per 100; bones, £4 to £9 per ton. Beeswax: Market easier. We quote 10d to 11d per lb. Fat Cattle: A considerable falling off in the supply, and a little judicious regulating of the various lots en route, have caused a very much better tone in this market, and we are pleased to be able to report a hardening tendency, and think from this out prices must be better. 745 head were yarded on Monday, and 698 on Thursday. Monday's market opened well, and prices continued to improve as sale were closing. On Thursday there was a good attendance of the trade, and sales throughout were the best we have seen for some time. Some very prime cattle were forward, and these made about 15s per 100 lbs. for best pens, others from 12s to 14s. We sold, on Monday, 15 bullocks for Mr. W. S. Hall, Yass, at £4 6s 2d, and 5 cows at £3 3s; and on Thursday, 98 bullocks for Messrs. Hardie and Millar, Goongra, at £4 7s; 100 light cows, ditto, at £3 4s; 3 bullocks, J. K. Mackay, at £5 2s; 1 bullock, Button, Brothers, at £5, and 1 cow, £5 6s; 3 bullocks, southern agents, at £5 13s; 4 cows, ditto, at £4; 1 bullock, E. Vickery, £5 2s; 1 bullock, O. Bloxome, £5 2s; 1 cow, H. Newcomen, £3 6s, and 1 bullock, W. Pearse, £5 2s. Fat Sheep.—10,527 passed the yards this week, the bulk of which were forward on Thursday, and we were pleased to note a much firmer tone in this market than of late. Prime descriptions were in demand, and met with brisk competition throughout, best wethers making 12s to 13s 6d, seconds 11s to 11s 9d, and inferior from 7s 1d. We sold 98 merino wethers for Mr. E. Cameron, Wagga, at 13s, the top price of the week; 971 ewes and wethers for Mr. James Peacock, Warigan, at 12s to 12s 5d; 1114 ewes, ditto, at 9s 11d; 1451 wethers for Mr. L. F. Iredale, Goolhi, at 10s 4d to 11s 5d; 1607 ewes for Messrs. M'Millan, Brothers, Melroy, at 8s 2d; 102 wethers for Mr. Morris, at 12s; 102 ewes, ditto, at 9s 11d; and 100 June lambs for Mr. E. Cameron, Wagga, at 7s 6d to 9s.—August 6.

MORT AND CO.—Wool: The quantity available during the month has been unusually limited, and not of a character to afford much test of the market; for the few lots offered competition has been active, at full values. There are indications of an early shearing in some districts, and portion of one large clip has already reached the sea board, and been shipped to London, but whether the bulk of the clip will come forward much earlier than usual will depend greatly upon the weather. By the extension of railways the facilities of transit are yearly increasing, and, as a consequence, the tendency is to concentrate the wool season in these colonies into a very short period. This change in the condition of the wool trade causes great pressure on those concerned in dealing therewith, and involves largely increased storage accommodation; and we are glad to be in a position to state that the most ample preparations are being made, by ourselves and others, at heavy expense, to fully meet the altered requirements in this respect. The growing importance of Sydney as a market for wool is becoming more fully recognised, and year by year we have had to report an accession to the list of buyers of representatives of London and Continental firms; and we have again intimation of a further addition to their number for the coming season. We may consequently look for increased competition and a more vigorous trade in this staple. In a former circular we alluded to the heavy loss of sheep in England caused by fluke; we now have returns, compiled with great care by Messrs. J. L. Bowes and Brothers, the well-known London wool brokers, which show the loss to have been something like 2,389,000 head! and these principally breeding ewes. Such heavy losses will no doubt beneficially affect values for the stronger haired wools for a time, and until the numbers of the home flocks again reach something like their normal standard, but will not likely make much difference in the market for merinos. The next London sales will commence on the 17th August, with a probable supply of 320,000 bales. From time to time we take advantage of the circulation of our monthly report to call attention to matters of direct interest to growers in regard to the preparation and dispatch of their clips, and we now desire to bring under their notice the importance of adopting, and adhering to, a brand which will be thoroughly distinctive. This precaution is rendered the more necessary by the large increase which has already taken place in the quantity of wool forwarded to this market for sale, and which will, no doubt, be greatly augmented in the future. We need hardly point out to a grower the desirability of securing a reputation for his wool; and this can scarcely be accomplished unless the brand is such as to be easily recognised by buyers. In very many cases the brand consists of one or two letters and similar brands are frequently used by several owners whose initials are the same. Much confusion in the delivery is thus occasioned at the railway sheds and steamers' wharfs, when, as sometimes happens, several parcels of wool of a like brand arrive at the same time. We would therefore suggest the advisability of adding to the ordinary brand the name of the station, or in some such way serve to clearly identify the consignment. It will also be desirable to mark and number the bales on the ends as well as on the side. The clearances with wool since the 23rd ultimo include eight vessels, taking 2992 bales. Sheepskins: The supply has been about equal to the average for the month, and values generally much the same as previously reported. Quotations may be given at from 6d to 7d for medium to full-fleeced; short-growth, 4d to 5d; and pelts, 2½d to 3½d per lb. Stock and Stations: These investments are attracting more attention, but owners are not at all anxious to realize in prospect of a succession of favourable seasons, and an apparently increasing vitality in the demand for these securities. We have placed a small property privately at a satisfactory value. Stud Sheep: Our annual sale of stud sheep, which was held at our wool warehouses, attracted great attention and passed off very successfully, every lot, including 253 sheep, was sold. There was a crowded attendance of buyers from all parts, and as every facility was afforded for the close examination of the various lots some days before the sale, purchasers were enabled to select the animals suited to their requirements. The competition, which was extremely vigorous throughout the sale, testified to the extent to which such facilities were appreciated. The highest prices realized for rams were — on account Mr. James Gibson, up to £246 15s.; account Mr. David Taylor, £210; account Mr. T. Paramore, £106; account Mr. J. D. Toosey, jun.; £53 11s; account Mr. W. H. Gibson, £64 1s; account Mr. Robert Jones, £46 4s; account Mr. George Parramore, £29 7s; and for ewes—account Mr. Robert Jones, £38 17s; account Mr. James Gibson, £27 6s. The prices not only show the high character of the stock offered by the various breeders, but also indicate the determination of our woolgrowers to spare no expense in securing the highest class of stock. Tallow: Shippers having operated with more freedom the catalogues have been readily cleared at from £26 to £28 for beef; mutton is scarce and would bring from £28 to £29; trade lots are in active request at from £20 to £25 per ton. Hides: The demand for export has been good, and for local use there is fair competition, but at last sale prices were weaker than at the earlier sales, to the extent of about one eighth of a penny per lb. Quotations—Heavies, 3¾d to 3½d; medium, 3d to 3¼d; and light and dry, 3½d to 4½d per lb. Horse Hides: The quantity arriving continues limited; large sizes may be quoted at from 6s to 8s, and small to medium 3s to 5s per hide. Leather: There was good competition for all descriptions until the last sales, when prices generally ruled much lower. Quotations now are as follows:—Sole 7½d to 8½d for medium, best 8½d to 11d; kip, 13d to 15½d; harness, 8½d to 11d; tweed, 16d to 21d; calf, 20d to 24d per lb.; basils, 6s to 12s per dozen. Kangaroo skins: For large sizes, well cured, a good demand exists at from 25s to 30s per dozen; medium, 18s to 24s; and small, 6s to 15s. Hair can be disposed of at from 13d to 16½d for horsetail, 9d to 11d for mane, and 8d to 12d per lb for mixed. Shankbones are salable from £6 to £10 per ton. Horns: Old and inferior are almost unsalable, but large sizes in good condition are worth from 20s to 30s per 100; small to medium, 10s to 15s. Beeswax: 10d to 11d per lb. Tobacco leaf is now arriving in large quantities, and at our auction sales a good business is being done at from 8d to 9d per lb for best descriptions, 5d to 7d for medium, and 2½d to 4½d for inferior. Freights for ships now loading are as follows:—Wool, by sailing vessel, ½d per lb for greasy, and ⅝d per lb for washed in full; by steamer, ⅝d per lb for greasy, and 1d per lb. for washed, with 5 per cent primage. Tallow, 50s per ton; Hides, 35s to 40s per ton. Clearances since our last:—July 6, Lusitania (s.), with 234 bales; 7, Abergeldie, 755 bales, 1383 casks, 4692 hides; 8, Clyde, 326 bales, 1089 casks, 6018 hides; 20, Liguria (s.), 159 bales, 107 casks; 21, Ann Duthie, 753 bales, 1175 casks, 3729 hides; 29, Moravian, 307 bales, 977 casks, 5526 hides; 31, Hydaspes (s.), 10 bales. August 2, Garonne (s.), 449 bales. Loading and on the Berth.—Potosi (s.), Chimborazo (s.), Benares and Woollahra.—August 4.

HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—Stations: We have nothing fresh under this heading to report. We, however, note an increase in inquiry for good pastoral properties in favourite localities. Fat Cattle: On Monday buyers were well represented, and prime pens were well competed for at an advance on last week's quotations, say 13s 6d for prime, 10s 6d to 11s 6d for medium, 9s 6d for middling. On Thursday, for extra quality 15s per 100 lbs. was paid, whilst medium and middling participated in the rise, and if the various consignments now en route are placed judiciously upon the market higher rates will ensue. To-day's closing sales were from 10s to 15s better. We sold 52 bullocks for Mr. P. H. Osborne at £4 7s 6d; 69 cows at £3 13s 6d. Fat Sheep: The Sydney Meat-preserving Company having taken 3000 for tinning purposes, prices are now much guided by growth of wool. We quote 60 lbs. as worth 13s, 50 lbs. 10s 6d, and 44 lbs. 9s 6d. Lambs: A short supply, and prime worth 14s; medium, 9s 6d to 11s; middling, 7s 6d. We sold 180 wethers, Northern agents, at 11s; 140, Southern agents, at 12s; 303, Northern agents, at 10s 6d; 400, John Hurley, from 11s 10d to 12s; 300, Western agents, to 11s 6d; 380, J. M. Roberts, from 7s 6d to 7s 10d; 35, T. Perkins, from 6s to 7s 9d; 85 lambs, Clift, Brothers, from 11s to 11s 9d. Store Cattle: We cannot give any encouragement to breeders, the demand still being very limited, and sales few and far between. Store Sheep: Several large lines have been placed during the week, and demand still continues for young ewes and sound wethers. Wool: In the absence of any sales this week we have nothing of importance to note under this head. The next London series will open on the 17th instant. Sheepskins are still coming forward in large quantities, and, as is usual at this time of the year, when wool is scarce, competition is good, and prices ruling satisfactory. The usual fortnightly sales take place next week. Tallow: 399 casks offered, 380 sold. There was a brisker demand this week for shipping lots, and prices ruled fully 2s 6d per ton higher. Trade lots also realized full values. Quotations—Best mutton, £28 to £29; best beef, £26 15s to £27 17s 6d; mixed and station, £22 to £24 5s. We sold 143 casks. Hides: 4868 offered, 4848 sold. There was an advance of fully one-eighth of a penny per lb. established on all descriptions, which sold well at quotations. Extra heavy, 3¾d to 3½d; heavy, 3¼d to 3½d; medium, 3¼d to 3½d; light and middling, 3½d to 4d. We sold 2089. Leather: There was a fair amount of business done this week in all descriptions, harness especially moving off with more freedom than of late. Quotations—Sole, extra heavy, 10d to 12d; heavy, 8½d to 9½d; medium, 8d to 8½d; kip, best, 15½d to 17d; medium, 13d to 15d; yearling, 21d to 23d; harness, 10½d to 13d; bridle, 10s to 12s; calf, 21d to 24d; cow tweed, 18d to 21d. Tin: The London market shows a slight decline on last week's quotation, to-day's price being £88. In tin ore a fall of 6d per unit has taken place since our last. Grain: Wheat is arriving in rather limited quantities; but millers having large stocks prices remain unaltered. Oats: None arriving.—August 6.

F. N. TREBECK.—Stations: The demand during the week has been confined to first-class steadily-paying sheep stations, but owners do not appear particularly anxious to sell before they have secured the clip. Purchasers are prepared to give excellent prices for really good properties beyond the reach of selectors. No sales are reported this week, but some good stations are under negotiation. Store Cattle: The improved state of the fat-stock market this week will probably lead to a demand for stores. Buyers will only do business at low rates. 1500 females have been sold for delivery in Northern Queensland at 45s. Store Sheep: I have enquiries for high-class breeding ewes for delivery after shearing, and could place some good lots at excellent prices. Very few sheep in wool are now being offered. Wethers are worth 7s 6d to 8s 6d per head, and breeding ewes from 8s 6d to 12s 6d per head. Fat Cattle: About 1400 formed the week's supply. The quality of some yards was excellent, and the Meat-preserving Company being in full operation, prices advanced 10s to 15s per head. The best yards brought from 14s to 15s per 100 lbs.; medium, from 11s to 12s. Fat Sheep: 12,000 were yarded. The market improved from 1s to 1s 6d per head, and closed firm for well-woolled good quality wethers. The prices for 56 to 60 lb. sheep ranged from 12s 6d to 13s 6d; lighter weights in proportion.—August 6.

BRUNKER AND WOLFE.—Stations: We have had many inquiries for eligibly situated properties not too heavily stocked. The estate and runs advertised by us for sale on the 24th and 25th instant, particulars of which will be found in the advertising columns of this paper, are highly commended. Fat Cattle: 746 head were yarded for sale on Monday and 704 head on Thursday. The improvement in prices noted last week was fully sustained and there is every indication of a firm market. We obtained full values for all we yarded, our sales being noticeably successful. On Monday we sold 192 head (A. A. Adams), by road from Welbon, cows £2 13s to £5, bullocks £3 13s to £6 5s; and, on Thursday, 75 bullocks (W. Pearse), by road from Plashett, at £5 14s to £7 1s, average £6 3s 6d; 80 bullocks (Ball and Powers) at £5 to £7 1s, average £5 11s 9d, being the highest averages attained this year, or equal to 15s per 100 lbs. At Maitland our sales were 150 bullocks (P. Comeford) at £2 16s to £4 16s; 17 cows, ditto, at £2 16s to £3 15s; 90 head (L. Horne's) at £3 5s 7d; 20 head (Graham's) at £3 2s, and a number of small consignments at quotations. Fat Sheep: About 12,000 penned. Values were decidedly firmer, all qualities being readily taken at an advance in prices. On Monday we sold 368 wethers (J. Browne) at 10s 9d, 344 ditto (L. F. Iredale) at 8s 9d. On Thursday best wethers forward made to 13s. Fat Calves and Lambs: We sold 20 nice vealers (Loder) at 18s 6d to £1 11s, and 42 lambs (Thomas Lee) from Woodlands at 12s 9d to 15s 3d, and 50 inferior to good at 6s 9d to 11s 6d.—August 7.

PITT, SON, AND BADGERY.—Stations: Pastoral matters are looking up, and capitalists are willing to invest in any good large properties, either well secured or outside settlement. Fat Cattle: We have had an improving market for the past week or two, and on Thursday closing sales were brisk. We look for a full supply next week, and for good quality market must remain firm. Since February last, when we made £8 4s 6d for 150 bullocks, the market has not been as brisk as yesterday. We have sold 45 bullocks (Powell's), at £5 9s; 193 cows (Cook's), at £3 18s; 30 bullocks (Emanuel's), culls, at £3 19s 3d; 22 cows (Morrice's), at £3 2s 1d; 99 cows (Badgery's), at £2 19s 3d; 24 bullocks (Barry's), at £3 10s 3d; 25 cows, ditto, at £2 5s 4d. Fat Sheep: A fair supply forward, but the wholesale men and Meat Company bought freely, and all lots were cleared at an advanced price. We sold—1200 wethers (Swift and Hann's) at 12s 6d; 499 ditto (Luff's) at 9s 4d to 9s 6d; 151 ditto (Morrice's) at 9s 1d; and, through our Melbourne agents, 3000 wethers at 14s 2d. Fat Calves: There was a good supply this week; prices were fairly maintained for best quality. We sold 47 inferior at 17s to 19s 6d, averages. Fat Lambs: Only really prime kept their price, and they made 11s to 13s; extra prime even more. We sold 46, shorn, at prices up to 8s. Store Stock: Want of rain is operating against transactions; but as soon as we get a good downpour we expect to close some very large transactions.—August 6.

WILLIAM INGLIS.—Fat Cattle: I am glad to note a considerable improvement since last report. On Monday the supply was only moderate, and the market very firm, and to-day prices improved still further, best beef bringing up to 15s per 100 lbs. I sold 47 head (Dunn's), £3 14s to £6 5s; 40 (Boardman's), £2 10s to £4 8s. Sheep: The supply was smaller than usual, and market brisker than of late, best wethers selling up to 12s 4d. Milch Cows: A very large number were again sent in, but the market, though still very low, was firmer than last week. I sold 46 from £1 15s to £8. Calves: A moderate number forward, the demand was brisk, and good ones, small and prime quality sold from 25s to 35s; second quality, 15s to 20s; inferior, according to size and condition. I sold 40 (Dunn's), 10s to 35s; 32 (Macintosh's), 10s 6d to 21s; and 54 others from 5s 6d to 29s. Lambs: The market was very bare, extreme prices (up to 15s 6d) being obtained for all the good ones forward. Pigs: Supply barely sufficient for requirements. Market brisk, at a slight improvement upon last week's rates.—August 5.

GRIFFITHS AND WEAVER.—Stations: No sales reported this week. We have had numerous inquiries, and buyers are ready to invest in first-class properties at fair prices. Fat Cattle: Some of the lots to hand this week were exceptionally prime, fresh, and heavy. Prices improved on good quality from 10s to 15s, best picked pens bullocks making up to £7 1s per head. Supplies are falling off considerably, and we look for improved rates and a steady market for some months to come. We sold the culls out of a draft of Segenhoe; the balance are held over for next week. Fat Sheep: The market was good and sales were brisk at an advance of about 2s on best sheep. Prime wethers, 12s 6d; good ditto, 11s to 11s 6d; medium, 8s to 9s.

SULLIVAN AND SIMPSON.—Stations: At this season of the year there are very few properties changing hands, as owners do not care to sell sheep stations till they secure the clip, and lambs can count as sheep. Cattle stations are very little sought after. Fat Cattle: The great glut is gradually falling off, and this week the number penned was smaller than for many months past. This number may be stated at about up to weekly requirements; and had it not been that several were held over from late sales, prices would have improved considerably; but as it was best pens of bullocks brought quite 10s per head above previous quotations, and middling-conditioned cattle improved to the extent of about 5s compared with last week's currencies; and we are now in hopes that reasonable prices will be obtained before many weeks pass, if holders are not too impatient and rush off their cattle when they hear of a slight rise in the market, for if they do, the market will again be over-supplied, and low prices have to be submitted to. We quote prime picked pens of bullocks worth 16s per 100 lbs.; good, 14s. These prices are a considerable improvement upon rates ruling last month. We have this week sold 207 cows and bullocks on account of Mr. Kennedy. Fat Sheep: Only 1772 were penned on Monday, the balance being forward on Thursday, and as this number may only be stated up to trade requirements, prices improved upon last week's values fully 6d to 1s per head, and we may reasonably expect a steady market for some time to come. We quote best merino flocks worth 12s to 12s 4d; a little extra for a few small lots to country buyers. We have this week sold 1002 wethers on account of Mr. Geo. Campbell, from his Duntroon Estate, at 12s 4d all round; also 1587 on account of Mr. M. Parker, in only middling condition, at 9s. Store Stock: Not much demand for this class of stock this week; the only inquiries we have had have been for young wethers in the wool, but there are very few in the market.

F. L. BARKER.—Wool: The catalogues offered during the last few weeks have been small, but any lots suitable for shipment, either greasy or scoured, have been well competed for, and sold equal to valuations. The new clip will shortly be down, and there is every promise of this market being more advantageous than shipping to London, as we shall have American, German and French buyers, irrespective of the usual colonial and English purchasers, who are able by shipping the wool direct to their own ports to give even more than ruling London prices, and, having done well last season, will be eager this. Quotations may be taken thus: Greasy, 9d to 1sd; heavy and seedy, 6d to 8d; scoured 1sts, 17d to 21d; 2nds, 14d to 16½d; 3rds, 13d to 13d per lb. Washed fleece: None offering, but should any come forward would realize high figures. Sheepskins continue in good demand, and, with very few exceptions, all forward have been cleared at satisfactory rates. The wool is now long on the skins, and good rates may be looked for until shearing. Quotations may thus be taken—Best, 6d to 7d; medium, 4½d to 5½d; short, 3½d to 4½d; pelts, 2d to 3d per lb. Leather: The last few sales have been noticed by a great dulness and want of spirit on part of the buyers to operate, unless at low rates; however, private sales have compensated, and most lots have found purchasers at fair rates. Tallow: This market has remained very steady during the month, and prices have not varied. Best shipping parcels are worth £27 12s 6d to £27 15s beef, and £28 to £29 mutton; station and odd lots, 22s to 25s per cwt. Horns and bones are in good demand, and large quantities have been sold to shippers at satisfactory rates; thus, horns, 25s to 31s per 100; bones, 8s to 12s per cwt; and special lots even more. Hair continues to sell readily, and is worth 5½d for cow stumps to 16d for horse tail. Tin ore keeps steady; the London market high for tin, the ore is worth good figure here. Kangarooskins are bringing very high rates, from 16d for small to 3s each for large.—August 5.

WILKINSON, GRAVES, MINCHIN, AND LAVENDER.—Fat Cattle: The market all through was very firm, and a slight advance on last week's rates was realized. Fat Calves: 300 calves for the week's supply. This number proved rather too many for the demand, and prices fell about 5s per head. Quotations—Prime calves, 20s to 30s; others in proportion. Fat Sheep: The market on Monday was brisk, and prices rose about 1s per head, and to-day (Thursday) the market continued firm, and this advance improved somewhat. We sold 1000 ewes for Mr. Abraham Booth, Gobbagumblin. Fat Lambs: 420 formed the week's supply, among which was a draft of this season's dropping, which made 7s 6d to 8s; others from 10s 6d to 15s 6d, according to quality. Store Cattle: The continued low prices ruling for fat cattle make it particularly difficult to effect sales of stores. Good bullocks, 4 to 6 years, are worth 50s to 60s. We look very shortly for a revival of this trade. Store Sheep: The demand for this description of stock continues very active, both for delivery in the wool and off the shears. We have ready buyers for good young wethers and ewes in the wool at reasonable prices; also, for all classes for delivery off the shears. We have this week sold for delivery in the wool 13,000 mixed for Messrs. Swift and Hann, Mimosa; 2000 wethers for Mr. J. G. Mulholland, Oura; and for delivery off the shears 5000 4 and 5 years old ewes for Messrs. Watt and Thomson, Cocketgedong. Pure Stock: Our sales this week have been 100 pure Australian merino rams for Messrs. M'Gaw and Co., Burrabogie, and 100 ditto for Messrs. Mills, Neilson, and Smith, Wardry. Stations: The demand for well-improved moderately stocked properties is increasing, and stations of that description sell well if not too highly priced.

HORSE MARKET.

GEORGE KISS.—There has been a stir in the market the last week, in consequence of several having been purchased for export, and probably will continue for some time, as the orders are not yet executed. Horses have been so scarce of late (particularly good, light harness horses) that it is with difficulty they are to be secured. Light harness horses take precedence; heavy draught horses are passed off occasionally; but, as usual, light weedy stock are very cheap. In vehicles trade has been rather dull. Spring-carts realized as high as £11 10s; buggies and sociables, to £41 10s; safety, £22; light harness horses, to £30; heavy draught, £20; medium draught and horses fit for van work, to about £20.—August 5.

W. INGLIS AND CO.—The market badly supplied with fresh horses the past week, and any that came forward that were at all useful sold readily at late rates. There was very little change in prices unless for draught horses, which were easier, unless for something very powerful. Good nuggetty cart horses are selling at late rates, and useful harness and saddle horses inquired for. Our quotations for heavy draught horses range from £25 to £35; cart horses, £15 to £25; harness and saddle horses, with size and breeding, £20 to £35; lighter descriptions, £5 to £15; and very light saddle and harness horses, £1 to £5. Our highest price this week for draught horses was £30, and harness horses £20. In vehicles, we sold a horse, buggy, and harness for £50; and some second-hand and new spring-carts from £5 to £14. The sale of buggies limited.—August 5.

T. COSGROVE.—The market for the past week was fairly supplied with horses. There have been a few buyers in the market for shipment. Anything good, with style and breeding, sold readily. Good nuggetty draught horses are selling well; saddle and light harness horses are inquired for, and sell at fair prices; powerful draught horses are worth from £27 to £42; cart horses, staunch, with youth and condition, from £15 10s to £26; buggy horses, from £18 to £25; weedy and inferior horses, from £1 2s 6d to £7 5s. There was a good business done in vehicles; spring-carts (second-hand) sell from £5 to £13; pagnel carts, from £8 10s to £17 5s; second-hand buggies, from £15 to £35.—August 5.

BONDED STOCKS.

Sydney, August 6, 1880.

Description.	Stock on hand, July 30, 1880.	Received into Stock.	Deliver'd for Home Consumpt'n	Delivered for Export'n	Stock on hand, August 6, 1880.
Rum: galls.					
West India ...	95,215	3,860	4,243	298	94,534
East India ...	18,882	...	1,083	...	17,799
Foreign ...	1,597	...	...	2	1,595
All other Spirits ...	3,476	16	882	67	2,543
Brandy ...	332,062	4,177	5,937	1,252	329,050
Geneva ...	88,831	9,109	4,171	327	92,962
Whisky ...	98,165	279	3,743	671	94,030
Liqueurs ...	3,559	232	129	43	3,619
Gin ...	7,231	...	177	37	7,017
Wine ...	203,815	4,892	3,593	831	204,283
Tobacco, man'f'd:					
Half-tierces ...	9	...	...	...	9
Lbs. ...	733	...	...	...	733
Qr-tierces ...	368	6	...	...	374
Lbs. ...	87,293	1,493	...	...	88,786
⅓ boxes & bxs.	694	...	1	...	693
Lbs. ...	54,550	...	122	...	54,428
Cases ...	886	7	24	23	846
Lbs. ...	191,758	946	3,780	4,582	184,342
Repackages—Packages	208	...	...	9	199
Lbs. ...	9,871	...	...	267	9,604
Leaf:					
Hds. and Csks.	871	6	17	...	*860
Lbs. ...	1,126,096	4,296	20,782	...	*1,109,610
Cases ...	14	1	3	1	*11
Lbs. ...	3,009	24	341	2	*2,690
Bales ...	8	...	...	...	*8
Lbs. ...	1,517	...	...	...	*1,517
Cigars:					
Cases ...	472	5	14	3	460
Lbs. ...	64,148	434	1,824	369	62,439
Re-packages—Packages	42	...	2	10	30
Lbs. ...	1,426	...	122	92	1,212
Tea: Lbs. ...	153,643	300,000	232,467	7,175	214,001
Chicory: Lbs. ...	21,893	...	700	...	21,133
Opium: Lbs. ...	10,604	...	424	112	10,068
Kerosene Oil: gals.	56,117	15,380	800	9,609	61,539

Snuff.—Stock on hand, July 30, 1 package, 100 lbs.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, nil; delivered for exportation, nil; stock on hand August 6, 1 package 100 lbs.

Sugar.—Stock on hand, July 30, 3126 tons 10 cwt. 1 qr.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, 58 tons; delivered for exportation, 33 tons 6 cwt. 1 qr.; stock on hand, August 6, 3035 tons 3 cwt. 3 qrs.

Coffee.—Stock on hand July 30, 12 tons 13 cwt. 3 qrs.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, 2 tons 17 cwt. 2 qrs.; delivered for exportation, 19 cwt. 3 qrs.; stock on hand, August 6, 9 tons 16 cwt. 1 qr.

* 102 casks 22 cases and 3 bales; entries passed for bond, but not yet weighed.

The Greek pirates are so active just at present in pillaging villages on the Turkish coast that, a Constantinople telegram states Sir Henry Layard has recommended Earl Granville to send a gunboat in pursuit of them.

Stations	Wind	Max	Min	Rain
Casino ...	b	72	51	0
Tenterfi'ld	b	54	14	0
Grafton ...	b	70	43	0
Inverell ...	b	57	26	0
Bourke ...	b	69	33	0
Narrabri ...	b	68	35	0
Armidale ...	b	50	37	0
Bendemeer	b	53	34	0
Gunnedah	b	55	25	0
Coonab'an	b	60	27	0
P. Macquarie	c	68	51	0
Murr'undi	b	64	47	0
Cassilis ...	n	57	27	0
Mus'brook	b	64	41	0
Dubbo ...	n	57	37	0
Mudgee ...	b	65	33	0
Maitland ...	b	61	48	0
Newcastle	u	68	50	0
Orange ...	n	48	33	0·03
Bathurst ...	b	50	32	0
Mt. Victoria	b	45	..	0·07
Forbes ...	b	71	35	0
SYDNEY	b	59	48	0
Wentw'th	b	64	34	0
Young ...	b	57	36	0
Woll'gong	b	62	49	0
Moss Vale	b	61	39	0·10
Euston ...	b	65	30	0
Goulburn ...	n	60	29	0
Wagga ...	b	64	31	0
Cape Geo.	b	56	..	0
Queanb'an	b	54	38	0
Deniliquin	b	61	30	0
Albury ...	b	63	31	0
Bodalla ...	b	68	42	0
Cooma ...	o	47	36	0·08
Eden ...	p	56	47	0·27
Gabo Isl'd	p	56	50	0·32



SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—August 6.

Jane Woodburn, brig, 209 tons, Captain Dashborough, from Melbourne August 2. Captain, agent.

Young Dick, schooner, 162 tons, Captain Moir, from Timaru July 20. E. M. Sayers, agent.

J. L. Griffiths, barque, 192 tons, Captain Brown, from Newcastle August 4, bound to Melbourne. Captain, agent.

City of Adelaide (s.), 834 tons, Captain David Walker, from Melbourne August 4. Passengers—Mrs. M'Kinnon, Mrs. Oakes, sen., Mrs. A. Oakes, Mrs. Travers, Mrs. Campey, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Israel, Mrs. Seikirk, Miss Hopkins, Miss Edwards, Miss Callaghan, Miss Israel, Miss Dincer, Dr. Oakes, Dr. Warren, Dr. Qualie, Messrs. J. Hallett, C. M'Kinnon, W. Pelton, D. M'Lean, R. M'Lean, B. Jocqz, C. Rush, G. Spang, R. Travers, W. Flemming, J. E. Ewing, J. Mattinson, T. Mattinson, H. B. Morton, W. Dodd, C. Backworth, J. Leving, R. Gill, A. C. Knowe, and 38 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Charles Stewart, American barque, 650 tons, Captain Power, from Boston March 24, via Adelaide, July 25. Barron, Moxham, and Co., agents.

August 7.

New England (s.), 223 tons, Captain Bracegirdle, from Grafton 4th instant. Passengers—Mr. Shaw, and 10 in the steerage. C. and N. E. S. N. Co., agents.

Thermopylæ, ship, 948 tons, Captain Machison, from London 20th May, Lizard 24th May. Passengers—Mrs. Boaden, Miss Troughton, Messrs. Sutherland and Stewart. Dalgety, Blackwood, and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—August 6.

Esk (s.), for Launceston, via Eden.
Leura (s.), for Melbourne.
Elamang (s.), for Brisbane.
Truganini (s.), for Manning River.
Lapwing (s.), for Newcastle.
R.M.S. Somerset, for Hongkong, and Singapore, via Queensland ports.
Cambrian Monarch, for San Francisco.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—August 7.

City of Adelaide (s.) and Omeo (s.), for Melbourne; New England (s.), Australian (s.), and Argyle (s.), for Clarence River; Richmond (s.), for Richmond River; Mallsgate, for San Francisco; Mathilde, for Apia; Silvery Wave, for Port Mackay.

CLEARANCES.—August 6.

Cambrian Monarch, 1306 tons, Captain T. Owen, for San Francisco. Passenger—Mr. J. Ewan.

Somerset (s.), 654 tons, Captain J. W. B. Darke, for Hongkong, Singapore, and Queensland ports. Passengers—Mrs. O'Hagen, Miss O'Hagen, and 9 S.S. Islanders for Thursday Island.

Leura (s.), 1186 tons, Captain John Pain, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Graham, Mrs. J. F. Atkinson, Mrs. P. J. New, Mrs. Lancaster, Mrs. Bannatyne, Mrs. E. Stubbs, Mrs. R. B. A'Beckett, Mrs. Longstaff, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. C. J. Burr, Mrs. J. Drew, Mrs. Bishop, Miss Mary Sircom, Miss Sims, Miss E. J. Forbes, Miss Levien, Miss H. Budd, Miss Johnson, Mrs. J. D. Crews, Mrs. Clatterboodo and child, Dr. Marks, Messrs. J. H. Delpratt, J. O'Connor, W. Gilbert, A. C. Shadler, A. J. Plummer, James Cole, G. Bishop, H. A. Boyd, J. S. Scotland, E. Fervais, G. Hind, E. Caine, D. Taylor, Allen, Elliott, Blake, S. Lazar, J. L. Haynes, W. E. Spawforth, J. Miller, S. Mitchell, W. M. Trenery, J. Salamon, and 83 in the steerage.

Elamang (s.), 800 tons, Captain J. M'Lean, for Brisbane. Passengers—Mrs. Davenport, Miss Morgan, Miss Raff, Mrs. Slater, Messrs. J. Harris, E. Myers, B. Lewis, C. W. Marsnlay, G. H. Davenport, F. L. Bolger, W. Cansdell, S. Samper, M. Kilingner, T. W. Macansh, R. Mackenzie, J. D. Macansh, R. Macansh, J. Andrew, J. Beaureghard, Master Morgan, H. A. Slater, and 14 steerage.

Esk (s.), 547 tons, Captain N. Langford, for Launceston, via Eden. Passengers—Mrs. A. Coates and family, Mrs. Cleary and infant.

Silvery Wave, schooner, 101 tons, Captain Stephen Denton, for Port Mackay. Passenger—Mr. J. Little.

COASTERS INWARDS.—August 6.

Dairymaid, from Shellharbour, with sundries; Jane, from Tomakin, with 86 girders; Arthur, from Manning River, with 450 bags maize, 40,000 shingles, 630 posts and rails, and 127 pigs; Neptune, from Richmond River, with 170,000 feet timber; Caledonia, from Newcastle, with 60 tons coal; Sarah Beattie, from Brisbane Water, with sundries; Helena Davies, from Port Stephens, with 57 girders; Margaret, from Wreck Bay, with 36,000 feet timber; Esther Maria, from Jervis Bay, with 17,000 feet timber; Collaroy (s.), from Newcastle, with 14 bales hay, 15 casks tallow, 30 bags potatoes, 10 bags turnips, 3 bundles sheepskins, 2 bales basils, 2 bags bacon, 6 bags bones, 8 bags horns, 4 baskets fish, 18 cases biscuits, 220 hides, and sundries; City of Brisbane (s.), from the Hunter River, with 42 bales wool, 13 bales hay, 10 bales skins, 492 bags tin ore, 20 bags turnips, 2 bags pumpkins, 113 hides, 12 boxes tobacco, 2 coops poultry, 24 cases eggs, 184 sheep, 2 calves, 2 horses, 1 cart, 3 bags bacon, 6 bags oysters, 13 baskets fish, 3 jew fish, 156 bags coke, 3 casks wine, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—August 6.

Dairymaid, for Shellharbour; Jane, for Port Macquarie; Arthur, for Wollongong; Neptune, for Richmond River; Our Own, for Shoalhaven; Ettie, for Lake Macquarie; Caledonia, Helena Davies, for Port Stephens; Sarah Beattie, for Brisbane Water; Barrabool (s.), for Newcastle; Margaret, for Wreck Bay.

IMPORTS.—August 6.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Jane Woodburn, from Melbourne: 300 cases castor oil, 50 bales woolpacks, 3209 bags potatoes, 168 cases lithofracteur, 100 cases dynamite, 2780 boards.

Young Dick, from Timaru: 1940 bags wheat, 66 bags barley, 290 bags bran, 56 bags sharps, 36 bags oats.

Charles Stewart, barque, 630 tons, from Boston: 20 cases organs, 500 cases 40 crates starch, Barron, Moxham, and Co.; 76 cases medicines, Elliott, Brothers; 23,300 pieces roofing slates, G. E. Crane and Son; 75 cases, S. Hoffnung and Co.; 1190 compressed asphalte paving blocks, 3 cases furniture, 100 boxes hops, 97 chairs, 924 pieces sycamore boards, 100 barrels rosin, 200 cases lobsters, 560 doors, 80 bundles laths, 17 pieces rough pine boards, 1 case leather, 39 packages, 3 cases, 2 kegs, Order.

City of Adelaide (s.), from Melbourne: 39 packages mouldings, 33 cases pig's feet, 103 lengths pipe, 162 bundles hoop iron, 20 cases bottles, 7 sacks gum, 42 kegs 113 cases nails, 25 cases brandy, 15 bales tobacco, 16 bales woolpacks, 42 cases biscuits, 4 cases cakes, 35 cases treacle, 42 casks treacle, 12 kegs treacle, 12 cases cheese, 434 sacks salt, 45 casks stearine, 50 barrels currants, 32 bundles s. castings, 24 drums caustic soda, 24 lengths pipe, 100 cases vestas, 10 chests 60 boxes 135half-chests tea, 4 dogs, and 50 packages sundries.

Ex Hannibal: A. S. milk, jar salt, Morton's and Whybrow' pickles, salad and castor oils, bottled fruit, carraways, linseed meal, macaroni, vermicelli, candied peel, Epps' cocoa, Neaves' food, gelatine, red and kippered herrings, D.S.F. mustard, Oxford blue, Robinson's groats and patent barley, canary seed, pearl barley, Moir's marmalade, Westall's D.S. fine salt—J. R. Love.

Ex Jane Wooburn: 3200 bags prime Circular Head potatoes—Henry Clarke, Victoria Wharf.

EXPORTS.—August 5.

Te Anau (s.), for Auckland and New Zealand ports: 2276 gunnies 550 pockets 188 packages sugar, 10 quarter-casks 5 hogsheads rum, 10 cases castor oil, 10 cases 12 barrels coffee, 20 cases ling, 36 quarter-casks vinegar, 80 drums oil, 10 cases sago, 20 bags tapioca, 139 cases brandy, 36 boxes candles, 120 bags rice, 119 bags maize, 2 cases kauri gum, 23 coils rope, 76 pieces timber, 332 cases fruit, 54 packages bacon, 50 cases oil, 2 cases harmoniums, 58 bags bonedust, 10 sacks flour, 100 bags wheat, 512 packages tea, 25 cases geneva, 830 cases kerosene oil, 2 cases tricopherous, 29 cases currants, 1311 packages sundries.

Cambrian Monarch, for San Francisco: 1750 tons coal.

August 6.

Somerset (s.), for Hongkong, Singapore, and Queensland ports: 28 casks glass, 21 casks horseshoes, 46 packages yellow metal, 5 casks nails, 5 casks brass, 24 packages copper, 15 bags shark-fins, 58 bags beche-de-mer, 127 pieces lead, 281 boxes soap, 96 bags fungus, 12 packages drapery, 41 bags rice, 200 coils wire, 50 bags flour, 8 cases beef, 15 packages pearlshell cases, 7 packages tea, 6 casks scrap iron, and 2 boxes sovereigns (£2715), and sundries.

Silvery Wave, for Port Mackay: 50 casks cement, 7 cases galvanized iron, 30 cases C. oil, 14 packages furniture, 25 cases stout, 3 casks currants, 9 packages earthenware, 2 cases paint, 75 cases kerosene oil, 92 bars 26 bundles iron, 16 tins varnish, 13 bundles buckets, 14 colonial ovens, 30 cartboxes, 37 kegs gunpowder, 10 bags onions, 15 bags potatoes, 3 packages tobacco, 2 packages cigars, 9 cases vestas, 19 cases beer, 120 bags rice, 56 packages tea, 20 cases whisky, 10 cases brandy, 6 cases sherry, 9 packages drapery, 5 nests tubs, 4 cases ironmongery, 3 cases turps, 3 casks white lead, and sundries.

Leura (s.), for Melbourne: 10 quarter-casks 4 hogsheads sherry, 24 cases sewing-machines, 18 cases boots, 779 bags maize, 32 packages antimony, 2 cases show fittings, 430 cases fruit, 4 cases plants, 3 cases pianos, 50 tons shale, 1 engine, 104 packages exhibits, 3 tobacco-machines, 4 cases compounds, 13 packages tallow, 18 half-chests 33 boxes tea, 3 cases blacking, and sundries.

Esk (s.), for Launceston: 2 cases fruit, 2 packages coffee, 2 trusses, 213 packages.

Elamang (s.), for Brisbane: 13 tons pig iron, 374 lengths pipes, 8 cases pianos, 16 bars iron, 144 drayboxes, 10 crates bottles, 5 cases honey, 71 packages drapery, 150 cases jam, 40 packages potatoes, 115 bags onions, 330 bags salt, 138 packages tea, 21 packages boots, 18 cases cheese, 23 iron plates, 124 cases fruit, 200 coils wire, 179 cases salmon, 3 cases oil, 8 bags wheat, 250 cases kerosene oil, 1 hogshead spirit, 5 casks limejuice, 500 ballots coir yarn, and sundries.

Custom-house.—Entered Outwards, August 6: James Paterson (s.), 357 tons, Captain H. Rowe, for Brisbane and Townsville, via Newcastle; Barrabool (s.), 538 tons, Captain F. H. Stanford, for Melbourne, via Newcastle.

The Rodondo (s.) in going into Hobson's Bay yesterday morning, in a dense fog, ran on shore on the back beach at Williamstown. She was, however, got off in the afternoon, and berthed alongside the Australian Wharf.

Yesterday afternoon Messrs. Smyth and Earns, the Customs' tide-surveyors, with a body of men, visited the Meath (s.), from China, which was berthed at Smith's Wharf, and during a viligant rummage they came across a large parcel of cigars and tobacco, took possession of it, and conveyed it to the Queen's warehouse.

The American barque Charles Stewart, from Boston, via Adelaide, brings a portion of her original cargo, which comprises, among other goods, a quantity of compressed asphalt paving blocks. The vessel sailed from Boston on March 24, and had fine weather to the line, which was crossed on April 26, in 24 30 W. Fine weather continued till passing the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on May 28, and in making the easting the barque had some very stormy weather, more notably that occurring on June 1, in 36 (?) S., and longitude 19° E., when a gale of hurricane force prevailed from the N.W.; and after the vessel was put under storm canvas the foretopsail and foretopmast-staysail were blown away. After eight hours of stormy weather the vessel set all sail to a moderate breeze, made the longitude of Cape Leeuwin on June 25, and arrived at Adelaide on July 14; sailed on July 25, and had N.N.W. winds to the 28th, then N.E. winds to the 31st, when E. and N.E. winds set in to the 5th instant, and from that date had a strong S.W. gale.

The A. S. N. Co. have placed their steamer Hunter in the hands of Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, and the ship is now undergoing most extensive repairs. The boilers have been taken out, the saloon is being renovated, and a ladies' sleeping cabin is to be built on deck. The work will be completed in about two months.

The Young Dick, schooner, left Timaru on July 20. Had moderate winds up to August, when a N. W. wind set in, and continued up to Woolloongong, where a very strong southerly gale and rain squalls were experienced on Thursday.

The brig Albert the Good will be towed to Wollongong to-day; and the Jane Woodburn, brig, will take her berth at the Victoria Wharf.

The Iris, barque, cleared out at Adelaide on July 30, for Sydney, with 2000 bags flour and 3000 bags wheat.

The Benarty, with teas from Foochow, commenced discharging at Parbury's Wharf, yesterday morning.

A schooner supposed to be the Rachel Cohen ran on shore on the east bank of the west channel of Hobson's Bay. A tugboat was alongside yesterday endeavouring to get her off.

The mail ship Somerset took her departure, yesterday, for Singapore and Hongkong, via Queensland ports; and, besides the mails, took a good amount of cargo for China and Thursday Island; also two boxes sovereigns, amounting to £2715, shipped by Chinese.

The Orient steamer Potosi is now moored at the Orient buoy, and as the electric light in the saloon will be working to-day, Saturday, from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m., and all next week at the same hour, persons purposing visiting the ship will do well to do so between the hours mentioned.

The Ocean (s.), from Foochow for Melbourne, passed Ballina bound south yesterday, at 5 p.m.

A heavy sea was breaking on the coast yesterday, and a strong south wind was blowing; late in the day, however, the sea at Sydney Heads went down considerably.

The barque J. L. Griffiths, from Newcastle, sailed on August 4, and is bound to Melbourne. She has come in here in consequence of meeting a severe gale off Botany Heads on Thursday. Captain Brown states that the wind blew furiously from the southward, and the sea rose to a frightful height. The barque was unable to face the tempest, and consequently bore up for Sydney, and as the vessel came in under the land the weather was found to be much milder.

The City of Adelaide (s.) cleared Port Phillip Heads at 5.15 p.m. on the 4th, and entered Port Jackson Heads at 5.15 p.m. the 6th. Experienced fresh southerly winds with fine weather throughout the passage.

The Thermopylæ sailed from London on the 20th, and took her start from the Lizard on the 24th May, and had westerly winds down Channel, and light northerly winds until reaching the latitude of 35° north on the 1st June, light and variable winds prevailed until reaching the latitude of 28° north on the 6th June, on which date the north-east trades were picked up; they proved moderate, and were carried to the 12th June; from thence strong southerly were experienced, and the equator was crossed on the 16th June, in longitude 25° west; strong southerly were experienced to latitude 26° south, and from thence to the meridian of the Cape on the 7th July, which was crossed in 41° south; moderate winds were encountered, and from the Cape unsettled weather, with a succession of gales were experienced from north-west to west, one lasting for three days from E.S.E., with heavy seas all through. The easting was run down between 40° and 42° south, and Cape Otway was sighted on the 4th, and from thence had strong southerly winds to arrival. Spoke the barque Berean, from London to Launceston, on the 11th July, in latitude 41½ south and longitude 52° east, all well.

The Meath, from Hongkong, is now putting out cargo at Smith's Wharf.

The Mallsgate and German schooner, Mathilde, will be towed to sea early this morning.

ARRIVAL OF OMEO (S.), DISABLED.

The Omeo (s.), of 821 tons, Captain Boyd, which was reported off Newcastle on Thursday night showing signals of distress, made her appearance off Sydney Heads late yesterday afternoon, and relieved a great amount of anxiety concerning her safety. It will be seen by the following particulars that the ship had had a narrow escape from being lost, with all hands, in Newcastle bight. Having taken on board about 700 tons coal, the vessel left Newcastle at a quarter to 4 p.m., drawing 13 feet of water forward and 16 feet 6 inches aft. The wind was very heavy from the southward, and on clearing Nobby's the sea was much heavier than was expected, and as the velocity of the wind increased to a gale the sea rose with it to a frightful extent. At 5 p.m. a heavy sea made an inroad over the bows, completely flooding the decks, and in the course of a few minutes' time the engines ceased to work, the ship's head payed off, and she tumbled helplessly in the sea. Nobby's was about seven miles distant, and the gale swept the steamer towards Newcastle Bight, and her distruction for a time seemed inevitable. Blue lights were burned and rockets sent up in order to attract the attention of the lookout at Nobby's, and, seeing no appearance of any steamer coming out to assist, the ship was got under canvas, but all the time shipped heavy water. One of the hauling lines was missing from forward, and it was surmised that it had got foul of the propeller. About 8 p.m. the foretopsail was torn away by the fury of the gale. In order to weather Newcastle Bight Captain Boyd had to clap on all sail, consisting of main and mizen trysail, main and maintopmast staysail, foretopsail, jib, reefed foresail, and afterwards whole foresail. The ship head-reached off the land, and behaved well under canvas. While the vessel was drifting, a futile attempt was made to pass a piece of chain with a line to either end under the bows and hull of the vessel, in order to fish the hawser, that was supposed to have fouled the propeller. When the ship gathered way under canvas, this was, however, successfully accomplished, but with great danger to the seamen, who ventured on the bowsprit while the ship was plunging her head into the sea. Captain Boyd held the boats ready for lowering, in case of accident. The chain with the ropes attached having been passed under the vessel's body and taken aft, it was not long before the hawser, some 100 fathoms long, was fished and hauled on deck, but it was found to be impossible to entirely free it from the propeller; a good strain was put upon it, and one of the ends carried away. During this time the engineer, Mr. R. Brock, and those under him made every effort to turn the engines, but were unsuccessful till 11 p.m., when they were got into action, and sail having been taken in the ship headed for Sydney, some twenty miles off the land, in the teeth of a heavy gale. Just before 11 o'clock the foresail blew away; the gale, however, blew its fiercest from 8 to 9 p.m. Yesterday, at noon, the guy of the mizen boom carried away, and while the boom was swinging about it smashed three spokes of the wheel. The Omeo arrived alongside the Market Wharf at 6 p.m. A portion of the hawser is still fast to the propeller, but a diver will be sent down this morning to clear it, so that she will be able to proceed to Melbourne to-day. Captain Boyd states that the engineers, officers, and crew worked with unceasing energy throughout the trying ordeal, and if the Omeo had not been a good ship under canvas she must certainly have gone ashore.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

NEWCASTLE.—August 6.
Arrived.

Maitland (s.), Collaroy (s.), Lady St. Aubyn, Menschikoff, Scotia, Western (s.), Lapwing, from Sydney.
New England (s.), from Grafton.
Lady Darling, from Melbourne.

Sailed.

Waratah (s.), Collaroy (s.), Morpeth (s.), New England (s.), Australian (s.), for Sydney.
Lavina (s.), for Richmond.

BALLINA.—August 6.

Lavina (s.), arrived from Newcastle.
Lismore (s.), from Sydney.
Saucy Jack and Schoolboy off the bar, and Monarch and Richmond (s.) ready for sea.
Ocean (s.), from Foochoo to Melbourne, passed south at 5 p.m.

CLARENCE HEADS.—August 6.
Sailed.

Lubra (s.), for Sydney.

PORT OF BRISBANE.—August 6.
Arrived.

Pioneer, schooner, from Melbourne.
Mathieu, barque, from the South.

Sailed.

Derwent (s.), for Sydney, this morning.
The Keilawarra (s.), for Rockhampton, and Corea (s.), for Thursday Island, sailed this evening.
The Normanby, for Sydney, passed Bowen yesterday afternoon.
The Leichardt (s.), from Sydney, arrived at Maryborough this morning.

FOREIGN SHIPPING.
(PER THE MERCHANT SHIPPING AND UNDERWRITERS' ASSOCIATION, LIMITED.)

LONDON, August 4.

Arrived.—Marpesia, ship, from Melbourne April 6; Veritas, barque, from Melbourne April 7; Ellora, barque, from Melbourne April 8; True Briton, barque, from Melbourne April 20; Navesink, barque, from Geelong March 21; Weathersfield, ship, from Geelong April 11; Loch Shiel, ship, from Geelong April 17; Gladstone, barque, from Sydney April 9; Tien Maury, barque, from Sydney April 14; Sumatra, barque, from Adelaide March 16; Neptune, barque, from Port Wakefield March 1, via Adelaide March 6; Mountain Laurel, barque, from Port Broughton April 6; Orange Grove, barque, from Port Augusta March 9; Elizabeth Dougall, barque, from Mintacowie April 5; Cower, barque, from Port M'Donnell March 23; Star of India, barque, from Lyttelton April 17; Nebo, ship, from Lyttelton April 30; Kermaria, barque, from Port Chalmers May 1; Arunnah, barque, from Launceston April 20.

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WIND.	REMARKS.
August 6.	8.30 a.m. Noon. 5 p.m.	South. South. South.	Strong and fine. Ditto and ditto. Ditto and ditto.

High water at Fort Denison, August 7—8.55 a.m.; 9.13 p.m.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.—August 6.

Victoria: Cloudy but without rain, moderate sea, falling barometers, and fresh northerly and easterly winds all round coast. New South Wales: Fine inland, cloudy on coast, showery at Eden and Gabo Island, rough sea south of Wollongong; barometers falling slowly, wind mostly from W., calm and frosty inland. Queensland: Fine light W. wind, smooth sea, and rising barometers. 3 p.m. Observations.—Victoria: Melbourne, N.N.E., 8, fine, temperature 59°; Portland, N.N.E., 26, dull, sea smooth, temperature 53°; Cape Otway, E., 18, dull, slight sea, temperature 52°; Wilson's Promontory, N.E., 23, dull, sea smooth, temperature 53°. New South Wales: Albury, calm, fine, temperature 55°; Forbes, calm, fine, temperature 69°; Eden, S.W., showery, heavy sea, temperature 55°; Moruya, S.E., 42, dull heavy sea, temperature 57°; Cape George, S.S.E., 42, fine, moderate sea, temperature 55°; Sydney, S., 23, fine, moderate sea, temperature 70°; Newcastle, S.S.W., 20, fine, moderate sea, temperature 60°; Port Macquarie, S.S.W., 62, cloudy, sea smooth, temperature 62°. State of Rivers.—Murrumbidgee—At Wagga, 13 feet 3 inches above summer level; at Hay, 12 feet 2 inches above summer level; at Balranald, 12 feet 6 inches above summer level. Murray—At Albury, 4 feet 5 inches above summer level; at Euston, 19 feet 2 inches above summer level. Darling—At Wentworth, 16 feet 9 inches above summer level; at Pooncarie, 12 feet 7 inches above summer level; at Menindie, 12 feet 7 inches above summer level; at Wilcannia, 3 feet 3 inches above summer level.

Astronomical Memoranda for August 7.—Sun rises at 6.48, sets at 5.22; Moon rises at 7.8 a.m., sets at 6.18 p.m.; Mercury, 6.1, a.m., 5.6 p.m.; Venus, 7.18 a.m., 5.48 p.m.; Mars, 8.12 a.m. 7.24 p.m.; Jupiter, 10.26 p.m., 9.50 a.m.; Saturn, 11.9 p.m., 12.21 a.m. New moon, 6th; full moon, 20th.

THE MAILS.

Mails will be made up at the General Post Office, for the undermentioned places, as follows:—

For Melbourne.—Overland, daily, Friday excepted, at 6.30 p.m.
For Adelaide.—Overland, via Melbourne, daily, Friday excepted, at 6.30 p.m.
For Hobart Town and Launceston.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per steamer, daily, Friday excepted, at 6.30 p.m.
For Ulladulla, Clyde, and Moruya.—By the Kameruka (s.), this day, at 3 p.m.
For United Kingdom and Continent of Europe.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per Garonne (s.), this day, at 5.30 p.m.
For Southern Ports of New Zealand, via Melbourne and Bluff.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per Arawata (s.), this day, at 6 p.m.
For Grafton.—By the New Zealand (s.), and the Australian (s.), For Gosford.—By the Pelican (s.), Monday, at 5.30 p.m.
For Macleay River.—By the Queen of the South (s.), Monday, at 8 p.m.
For Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton.—By the Egmont (s.), Tuesday, at 3.30 p.m.
For Brisbane and all Northern Ports.—By the Alexandra (s.), Tuesday, at 4 p.m.
this day, at 8 p.m.; and by the City of Grafton (s.), Tuesday, at 8 p.m.

DISPATCH OF MAILS PER ORIENT STEAMSHIP GARONNE, FROM MELBOURNE.

Mails for the United Kingdom and continent of Europe will be made up at this Office on Saturday, August 7, 1880, closing at 5.30 p.m., to catch the Orient Company's steamship Garonne, which leaves Melbourne on Tuesday, August 10th. Correspondence intended for dispatch by this mail must be specially endorsed "Per Garonne," otherwise it will not be forwarded.

General Post Office, July 30, 1880.

ROYAL MAIL NOTICE.—VIA AUCKLAND, HONOLULU, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

The mails by the R. M. S. Zealandia close at the General Post Office on Thursday, the 12th August, 1880, as follows:—

Registered letters, at noon.
Unregistered letters, at 1 p.m.
Newspapers, books, and packets, at noon.

The rate of postage on letters to Honolulu, United States of America, and the United Kingdom is 6d per ½ oz.

Full information as to the rates of postage to all places can be ascertained at the Inquiry Office, General Post Office, and at the various suburban and country offices.

LATE LETTERS.

Late letters for the United Kingdom, Honolulu, United States of America, and Canada will be received at the General Post Office up to 2.30 p.m. on payment of a late fee of 6d. each letter, and at the Custom House (Circular Quay) up to 2.45 p.m. on payment of a late fee of 1s. each letter.

IRON RECEIVERS.

Letters may be posted in the iron pillar letter receivers up to noon; newspapers may be posted in the newspaper receivers up to 10 a.m. on the 14th August, 1880.

All letters, &c., not otherwise marked, will be forwarded by the R. M. S. Zealandia.

General Post Office, Sydney, August 4th, 1880.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Friday Evening.

Bank shares were in more request, and in other respects the Stock and Share market was brisker to-day. City were not offered below 11½, and 101 was refused for fully paid Commercial—new issue changed hands at 86; Joint Stock as before, buyers at 15¼, sellers at 15½; Mercantile wanted at 5¾, for sale at 5⅞; New Zealand had buyers at 20¾, sellers at 21, sales at 20⅞; Queensland National were taken at 7¼, and wanted; Union asked for at 61½, held for 63. In Steam the only transactions were in Australasian, at 17½ to 17¼, closing with sellers at 17½; Clarence and Richmond of both issues unaltered; Hunter River still held for 8; Illawarra wanted at 5½, sellers at 6; North Shore Ferry for sale at 16s. 6d. Insurance shares had some slight alterations: City inquired for at 8d., offered at 1s.; for Mercantile 1s. 6d. was paid, and more wanted at that figure; buyers of N. S. Wales at 66s., sellers at 70s.; General held for 82s.; Pacific a trifle weaker, 61s. 6d. would have been accepted, 1s. less was offered; Sydney Fire salable at 72s. 6d., holders asked 75s.; Sydney Marine for sale at 38s.; no United offered. Gaslight unchanged, fully paid Australian had buyers at 13½, sellers at 14—new issue, buyers at 4¼, sellers at 5¼. Shale Oil lower: sales at 8s., buyers at that figure. Volunteer land orders advanced to 93½ buyers, 95 sellers. Coal shares better: All the Wallsend for sale at 12 were taken up, 12¾ asked subsequently; Waratah in demand at 7¼, held for 7¾; buyers of Bulli at 10½, sellers at 11¼; Vale of Clwydd inquired for at 14s., held for 15s. Nothing done in Great Cobar Copper—buyers at 75s., sellers at 76s. 6d.; Band and Albion stronger—5½ declined, 5¾ asked; Hustler's pups were more salable—6s. could have been obtained; no change in Krohmann's or Star of Peace. Debentures as before: New South Wales long-dated fives at 110 were the only description offered.

The Import markets were quiet, and few sales reported. In liquors we heard of the quittance of a large parcel of M'Ewan's ale at a figure withheld. Two lines of a second-class brandy changed hands at 6s. 6d. to 6s. 9d., and Burnett's Old Tom at 12s. Glucose has some inquiry, and £30 paid for a trade quantity. Galvanized iron is more strongly held, in consequence of the tone of home advices, and a shipment of 100 tons fencing-wire was taken up to arrive, on private terms. Late arrivals of rice have unsettled the market, and at present there is hardly any demand. Common teas had a fair trade inquiry; but good new season's congous are neglected, notwithstanding the tenor of China news. Sugars are steady and likely to remain so. By the Benarty we have Foochoo advices to the 17th ultimo. Up to that date the clearances of tea for Australia amounted to 5,507,274 lbs., as against 8,471,975 lbs. for the same portion of the previous season. The Benarty's cargo is not included in the returns. The Georgina sailed for Adelaide on the 7th, with 319,728 lbs.; the Oceania was loading for that port, and the William Manson for Sydney. The Bowen (s.) was engaged full, to leave about the middle of this month; the Alexa, Wm. Turner, Irazu, and Rio Logo were also chartered for the colonies. Exchange had fallen to 3s. 10d. for six months' sight credits. From a private letter received from one of the principal houses in Foochoo, we take the following:—"There has has continued to be a good demand for common congou, and it looks as if prices would remain steady for some time to come. For flavoury and medium descriptions prices are rather lower, but as a rule tea men are very firm. They are already losing smartly on all first crop teas, and now consider they are justified in making a stand, as the quality of the second crop is so very poor and inferior, with but little prospect of the third crop being much better. The second crops are now coming to market, and are certainly the worst teas we have ever tasted, so far we have seen nothing but common congous, and a good deal of it of a very suspicious character. This fact should considerably enhance the value of all the first crop leaf, common sorts especially; no doubt it is a difficult thing to make buyers believe, but sooner or later the fact must come home to all who have any knowledge of tea. The second crop is so late, owing to the delay in commencing operations on this market, that it will be more or less mixed up with the third crop leaf, and we anticipate that the falling-off in quantity of the two crops will more than counterbalance the extra supply we got in the first crop." The Ocean left for Melbourne direct yesterday, taking about 1500 tons, nearly all for Victoria. The supply of produce offered at Darling Harbour this morning was the shortest that we have seen for some time. There was a fair attendance of buyers, and an improving tone was noticeable in the market. Prime oaten hay in bales realized from 4s. 10d. to 5s. per cwt.; medium, from 4s. 4d. to 4s. 6d. Prime oaten in trusses and bundles brought from 5s. to 5s. 4d., one truck of extra quality reaching as high as 5s. 11d. Other samples sold at from 3s. 11d. to 4s. 6d. There was not much demand for straw. We saw prime lots going off at 2s. 8d., which figure may be quoted as a fair average for good qualities. Potatoes were dull, and the lots submitted excited little competition. Best samples brought 3s. 6d.; medium, 3s. 2d.; inferior, 2s. 6d. to 2s. 10d. The bidding was a great deal more spirited for pumpkins, and 3s. 7d. per dozen was easily obtained for good samples. Chaff was dull, nothing specially tempting being offered. The lines forward consisted wholly of straw, which was knocked down at 2s. 10d. per cwt. At the wharf, lucerne hay is rather scarcer this morning, and prime green qualities elicit numerous inquiries. From £5 5s. to £5 10s. are the prices quoted, though there is scarcely any in the market, and these values have little more than a nominal significance. For brown hay the demand is not so brisk, and good samples are plentiful at from £4 15s. to £5 per ton. Inferior is dull at from £3 to £4 10s. In other lines there is no alteration from yesterday's prices. Butter is reported to be considerably firmer to-day, and business is much brisker, though there is no appreciable advance in values. The arrivals of inferior calves are slackening, which imparts a healthier tone to the market, and if shippers can be induced to hold back inferior stocks agents anticipate a speedy improvement in this extremely depressed line.

Sales of hides, tallow, &c., were held to-day, by Messrs. Mort and Co., Mr. Barker, Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Mr. Bridge, and Messrs. Maiden, Hill, and Clark. The demand was much better than at late sales, and almost every lot catalogued changed hands at an advance—that on hides being about an eighth per lb., and on tallow fully 2s. 6d. per ton. Calfskins realized 6d. to 3s. 6d.; yearlings, 4s. to 6s. 9d.; horsehides, 4s. 6d. to 8s. 3d.; opossum skins, 5d.; kangaroo, 4d. to 2s. 4d.; pig, 2s.

The general abstract of the quarterly returns of the banks doing business in this colony, published in to-day's *Government Gazette*, shows that the notes in circulation last quarter averaged £1,117,124; deposits not bearing interest, £5,697,799; bearing interest, £12,239,365; total liabilities, £19,307,818. Coin held, £3,388,795; bullion, £74,152; total assets, £24,310,900.

The Customs' duties received to-day were as follows:—

Spirits, £2076 16s. 7d.; wine (still), £95 13s. 1d.; wine (sparkling), £11; tobacco and snuff, £23 12s.; unmanufactured tobacco, £378 13s.; cigars, £88 13s. 9d.; tea; £2298 1s. 5d.; coffee and chicory, £37 14s.; sugar (unrefined), £25; opium, £37 10s., rice, £200 6s. 1d.; dried fruits, £24 16s. 2d.; specific duty, £432 6s. 8d; pilotage, £46 12s.; harbour and light dues, £51 17s. 8d: total, £5828 12s. 6d.

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.
(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Thursday.

3 per cent. Consols, 98.

Bank rate of discount, 2½ per cent. The proportion of reserve to liabilities in the Bank of England is 51 per cent.; the total reserve in note and bullion amounts to £15,500,000.

5 per cent. New South Wales Loan, with 2 per cent. annual drawings from 1874 to 1898, 105; 4 per cent. New South Wales Loan, from 1903 to 1905, 97½; 6 per cent. Tasmanian Loan, 1893 to 1901, 114½; 5 per cent. Victorian Loan, 1894, 108.

Tin: Straits, £90 per ton; Australian, £90 per ton. Copper; Burra, £71 per ton; Wallaroo, £73 10s. per ton.

Wheat: Adelaide, per 496 lbs., ex warehouse, 48s. 6d. to 49s. 6d. Flour: Adelaide, per 280 lbs., ex warehouse, 37s.

Australian Tallow:—Best beef, 33s. 6d. per cwt.; best mutton, 35s. per cwt.

MINING.

Nymagee Copper M. Co.—Mining manager reports, on July 29th, as follows:—"Main shaft: All the timbering required, including ladders, is completed from top to bottom. The whip is erected and working well; the men are now engaged cutting a plat at the 120-feet level; I fully expect a good and large lode as we go deeper. No. Shaft: All timbering is completed, ladders put in, and whip erected; the lode in the end being driven north is looking as well as ever; I shall commence to drive south as soon as practicable. No. 3 shaft is down 76 feet, with the lode looking just the same. East lode shaft is down 22 feet; the ground is hard and the lode not well defined as yet. I feel certain I shall soon have a good payable lode here. All other works at the mine are progressing very satisfactorily."

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, &c.
T. COSGROVE.—At the Bazaar, at 12, Horses, Vehicles, &c.
S. PROCTER.—At the Punt Wharf, Gladesville, at 3.30, Flooring Boards.
DUNN and GOULD.—At the Rooms, at 10, Household Furniture and Effects, Canoe, &c.
H. VAUGHAN.—On the Premises, Botany Road, Waterloo, at 2, Stock-in-Trade of a General Dealer, Household Furniture, &c.; on the Premises, Cook's River Road, at 4, Right, Title, and Interest in Lease of Blacksmith's Shop.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB.—At the Rooms, at 11, Household Furniture, China, Glass, Plate, &c.
MILLS, PILE, and GILCHRIST.—On the Ground, Botany, at 3.20, Land; on the Ground, Burwood, at 3.30, Land.
C. CARR and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Clothing, Watches, Jewellery, &c.
S. S. JOEL.—At his Mart, at 11, Household Furniture, Sewing-machine, Cutlery, &c.; at 11.30, Meerschaum Pipes, Matches, Walking Sticks, &c.
BARKER and CHRISTIE.—At their Rooms, St. Leonards, at 2, Household Furniture, Fancy Goods, &c.
MORRIS and CO.—At their Yards, Newtown, at 2.30, Furniture, Piano, Sewing-machine, &c.
DENT and HOSKIN.—At Newtown, at 9, Wood; at Darling Harbour, at 10, Wood.

Special Advertisements.

TO NEW SOUTH WALES EXHIBITORS at the MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.
The undersigned are prepared to issue Policies on Exhibits in the New South Wales Court, on behalf of the NORWICH UNION FIRE OFFICE.
W. C. GODDARD and CO., Agents. Exchange, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
ESTABLISHED 1872.
POLICY-HOLDERS will please to take notice that the BONUS, of 20 per cent. declared between them and the shareholders for the eighth year is payable as their respective policies expire.
WALTER CHURCH, Manager.
Head Office 144, late 184, Pitt-street, near Evening News. 3rd June, 1880.

ANGLO - AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT, FINANCE, and LAND COMPANY (Limited).
This Company having now been formed, applications for the unallotted Shares of the First Issue at par, in terms of the Prospectus, will be received up to the 31st instant.
Allotment will be made in the order of applications.
FREDK. COOK, Manager.
88, Pitt-street, August 4, 1880.

COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY CAPITAL, £2,500,000. FIRE RESERVES, £640,085. FIRE RISKS accepted at LOWEST current RATES, by EDWARD CHAPMAN and CO., 105 (late 189), Pitt-st., Sydney.

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Waterloo-chambers, 458, George-street, Sydney.
Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Power, 50, College-street.
J. P. GARVAN, Managing Director.

GREAT REDUCTION IN FIRE INSURANCE Premiums.
THE LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Insurances on first-class dwellings and buildings not used for purposes of trade, within the city and suburbs, at ONE SHILLING and SIXPENCE PER CENT.
LARGE REDUCTIONS have also been made in COMMERCIAL RISKS.
M. W. S. CLARKE, M.A., Resident Secretary.
62, Pitt-street.

INCREASE OF CAPITAL OF THE NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited). See prospectus in another column.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Established 1809. Invested Funds, £1,592,470.
FIRE RISKS in this colony and Queensland accepted at LOWEST CURRENT RATES.
Offices—58, Pitt-street, Sydney.
GEORGE A. RUSSELL, Secretary.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY, PITT and Hunter streets. Capital, £250,000. Reserves, £30,000. Unlimited liability of shareholders.
FIRE risks accepted at premiums as LOW as those of any other office.

THE ROYAL INSURANCE CO. are prepared to accept RISKS at LOWEST CURRENT RATES.
WM. LAIDLEY and CO., Agents.

THE LONDON GUARANTEE AND ACCIDENT CO. (Limited) guarantees at lowest rates of premium the fidelity of Employees in Government, Bank, Insurance, Mercantile, Municipal, and other offices; also indemnifies private sureties against loss. Ernest O. Smith, agent, 58, Pitt-st., Sydney.

THE SYDNEY SOAP COMPANY
Sydney and Newcastle,
AWARDED FIRST PRIZE for SOAP and CANDLES, Sydney International Exhibition.
Head Office—11 and 13, Sussex-street.

THE SOUTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY.
This Company is covering WOOL and all other PRODUCE by first-class Steamers to LONDON at the REDUCED RATES.
HENRY CORNWELL, Secretary.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES FISH COMPANY (Limited).
The principal part of the Capital having been already subscribed, the SHARE LIST will be CLOSED THIS DAY, the 7th August.
Prospectuses on application to the Secretary.
WILLIAM BRYANT.
Mears'-chambers, near Trickett's Hotel, King and Pitt-streets, Sydney.

VICTORIA INSURANCE COMPANY Limited.—FIRE and MARINE RISKS accepted at lowest current rates. Offices—89, Pitt-street, opposite the Exchange.

VICTORIA GUARANTEE COMPANY ISSUES FIDELITY POLICIES to Government officials and others at lowest rates of premium. Fifty per cent. reduction is made when life Assurance is combined.

MONEY TO LEND ON MORTGAGE. APPLY AT THE AUSTRALIAN MUTUAL PROVIDENT SOCIETY'S OFFICE, 60, Pitt-street.
ALEXANDER J. RALSTON, Secretary.

MONEY TO LEND ON MORTGAGE, EITHER for fixed terms, or repayable by instalments. Apply to the MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA, George and Wynyard streets, Sydney.
J. C. REMINGTON, Secretary.

WALKER'S WHISKY.—SPECIAL First Prize
Cork Distilleries Irish Whisky—first prize
Gaven's Schnapps and Geneva—both first prize
Melvin's Ale—Ivory's Pianos—Floorcloth—Varnish
No. 10 Fencing Wire—Wall Paper—Cement—Woolpacks
Oatmeal—Best New Zealand, 7 and 14-lb. bags.
MASON, BROTHERS, 14, Spring-street.

"CROWN" BRAND OF GUINNESS'S STOUT IS now acknowledged by the trade and other good judges to be second to no other bottling procurable in this market.
Fresh shipment just landing. Can be had in trade parcels.
LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO.

TEAS.—NEW SEASON'S, EX S.S. MENMUIR.
LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO.

DAUKE'S AND CO., EXETER HALL VAULTS.
The above celebrated Bottlers, holding the first reputation in London, now send regular shipments of Bass' Ale and Guinness' Stout, in large champagne bottles, of highest quality, imported in 3 dozen and 6 dozen cases. On SALE by the undersigned.
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ROB ROY OLD HIGHLAND WHISKY.
This finest of Old Scotch Whiskies, in cases, bottled under the immediate supervision of the proprietors, and so widely famed for its excellent quality, can now be obtained from the undersigned.
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This rare old Whisky, surpassing anything in bottle yet offered in this market, was awarded the "FIRST PRIZE MEDAL,"
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The undersigned now receive regular Shipments of the above.
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The WINES of this vineyard, which are unsurpassed in quality and have taken many prizes, can be obtained from all Wine and Spirit Merchants; also at the Stores of the Proprietors, 121, Pitt-street.
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It is of the utmost importance that contents of each bottle should be carefully compared, as large quantities are being imported into New South Wales in small bottles.
Drinkers of this favourite beverage should compare LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKY with any of the other brands, when they will find a difference of at least 10 per cent. in favour of LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKY.

TEAS.—NEW SEASON'S, EX S.S. MENMUIR. Musters on view. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

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LORIMER, ROME, and CO. have now on SALE their first shipment of FINEST FIRST CROP TEAS, including the celebrated TAIKOO CHOP, No. 31.
Sample packages on view.
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CUTICURA BLOOD REMEDIES.
SKIN DISEASES ARE BUT THE SIGNS OF BLOOD POISONS.
Skin Diseases issue from an unhealthy condition of the blood, and are Blood Diseases.—Wilson.
The CUTICURA REMEDIES, cure the most obstinate forms of Blood and Skin Diseases, and Affections of the Scalp, with Loss of Hair, when all other remedies and methods of treatment fail. CUTICURA RESOLVENT purifies the blood, renovates and invigorates the system, absorbs and carries away poisonous matter, and, by enriching and strengthening the blood, vitalizes with new life every organ and process of the body. Hence the permanence of the cures made by the CUTICURA REMEDIES.
CUTICURA, a Medicinal Jelly for external application, arrests disease, eats away dead flesh and skin, allays inflammation, itching, and irritation, and heals ulcers, sores, and scalp affections with loss of hair, when the RESOLVENT is taken internally. CUTICURA SOAP, prepared from Cuticura, is cleansing, refreshing, and the only natural beautifier of the skin, which it softens, whitens, and preserves beyond praise. CUTICURA SHAVING SOAP, also prepared from Cuticura, is the first and only medicinal soap compounded expressly for shaving.

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INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF THE HEALING OF A BROKEN LEG.
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Respectfully yours,
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Yours truly,
STEPHEN H. LOVEJOY.
Auburn, Me., April 3, 1879.

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FOR ELEVEN YEARS CURED.
JOHN W. F. HOBBS, Esq., North Hampton, N. H., well known as the originator of the Citizens' Line Coaches, Boston, writes that he has been cured by the CUTICURA REMEDIES of an Itching Humour from which he has been a great sufferer, as all his friends know. He considers them the greatest remedies of the age.

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EVERY CERTIFICATE SWORN TO BEFORE the BRITISH CONSUL AT BOSTON.
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETS.—I, Warren B. Potter, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk and Commonwealth aforesaid, on oath, make affidavit and say that I am a member of the firm of Weeks and Potter, Chemists and Druggists, of said Boston; that the foregoing certificates are true and exact copies of the original certificates now in our possession, and are the voluntary statements of the parties.
WARREN B. POTTER.
Sworn to at her Britannic Majesty's Consulate at Boston, United States of America, this thirteenth day of January, 1880.
W. H. STUART, British Vice-Consul.

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FOR BLOOD, SKIN, AND SCALP HUMOURS, are prepared by WEEKS and POTTER, Chemists and Druggists, 8, Snow Hill, London; 360, Washington-street, Boston, Mass., U.S.A.; 21, Front-street, Toronto, Ont.; and are for sale by all Chemists. Price of CUTICURA, 4s 6d per box; RESOLVENT, 4s 6d per bottle; CUTICURA MEDICINAL TOILET SOAP, 1s 1½d per cake; CUTICURA MEDICINAL SHAVING SOAP, 8d per cake—in bars, for barbers and large consumers, 2s 6d.

COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTERS.
Instantly relieve Pain, Soreness, and Weakness.
Messrs. BARRON, MOXHAM, AND CO., Wholesale Agents for New South Wales.
To be had of all Chemists.

WRIGHT'S (THE ORIGINAL) COAL TAR SOAP (SAPO CARBONIS DETERGENS).
This Soap is the most healthful, agreeable, and refreshing Toilet Soap in the World. By its daily use freedom from infectious diseases is secured, the complexion improved; pimples, blotches, and roughness removed; and the skin made clear, smooth, and lustrous. For the Nursery and the Toilet this Soap is invaluable; it has received the highest commendations from the entire medical profession, and is specially recommended for Hot Climates.
"In our hands it has proved most effective in skin diseases."—Lancet.
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Highly and extensively recommended by Mr. James Startin, M.R.C.S., Surgeon to St. John's Hospital for Diseases of the Skin; the late Mr. James Startin, M.D., F.R.C.S., Saville-row; Mr. M'Call Anderson, M.D., F.F.P.S., Woodside-crescent, Glasgow; and the other leading members of the profession.
CAUTION.—There being many so-called Coal Tar Soaps now before the public, purchasers should see that they have none but Wright's Coal Tar Soap, each tablet of which bears the impress, "Sapo Carbonis Detergens."
In Tablets, 6d and 1s each, of all Chemists and Storekeepers.
Wholesale Agents: ELLIOTT, BROTHERS, Sydney.

A RECOMMENDATION IN VERSIFICATION
ROW'S FARMER'S FRIEND, or EMBROCATION
Deserves the highest commendation
Of every philanthropic nation.
This is not vain expatiation;
For 'tis a well-proved application
For all external inflammation
Whate'er its stage or complication;
In callous state or suppuration,
On human kind or brute creation,
It claims the just appreciation
Of those who've felt alleviation
Of pain, which reached excruciation,
And staved all zest for pabulation.
To men of sense and reputation
I simply say in confirmation
Of the foregoing incubration—
Just use your powers of observation!
View the surprising renovation
Made by this virtuous preparation
On our rheumatic population;
Or gouty folks (who hate starvation),
And raw-boned brutes whose glad ovation
Is heard in neighing cacchination,
Or seen in cock-tailed exultation
Or frisky, frolicsome elation.
In contrast to their sad prostration
Which made them wish for poleaxe-ation,
Then—friends of suffering creation—
You can't withhold your admiration.
Before I close this recitation,
I wish to add this dehortation,
Beware of spurious imitation,
Called "Farmer's Friend,"—ugh, botheration!
It's nothing like ROW'S EMBROCATION,
Which should be kept on every station,
And prized as much as daily ration.
Prepared solely by
EDWD. ROW and COMPANY,
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GENUINE PATENT MEDICINES, BELOW THE English price, 1s. each. Felmingham, Chemist, 78, King-st.

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WOOLPACKS, DUNDEE, 10½ and 11 lbs.; CALCUTTA, 10½ and 11½ lbs., ENDS and SIDES; "STORK" GALVANIZED IRON, 6 to 10 feet; CEMENT, FENCING WIRE; SALMON, Cook's Prize Medal, new catch.
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LOAF ... 4½d per lb.
PURE SNOWDROP ... 3¾d "
NEARLY WHITE ... 3d "
BEAUTIFUL YELLOW ... 2½d "
Samples on view in all the windows.

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FOUR first-class AWARDS, Sydney Exhibition, 1880.
TWO SPECIAL PRIZES, Sydney Exhibition, 1880.
FOUR first-class AWARDS, Philadelphia Exhibition, 1876.
GOLD MEDAL, Paris Exhibition, 1878.
These celebrated WATCHES, lately exhibited at the Garden Palace, are now on view at our Warehouse, and for SALE to the Trade only, at exceptionally low prices.
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BATTY and CO., of London, have secured FIRST PRIZE at the SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION for their unrivalled PICKLES and SAUCES. Supplies of which can be had from
LEARMONTH, DICKINSON, and CO., Agents.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 1880.

It was not to be supposed that Central Cumberland would be altogether left out when the good things were going. With a Minister for Works for one of its members, and the Postmaster-General commercially interested in the district, Liverpool was bound to have something, and may be commended as being comparatively modest in being contented with a new post-office, the formal opening of which was duly celebrated on Wednesday last. In the cheerful glow of the spirits which comes after wine, hopes were expressed at the banquet that, now that Liverpool had got a new post-office, it would look up and take a fresh start—a thing, surely, which it has been able to do any time these last twenty years, but which it has not summoned this resolution to do. We do not exactly see the connection of cause and effect between a new post-office and revived prosperity; but still, we are quite ready to join in the hope, as we did once before. Great things were expected when the railway was first opened to Liverpool

end some of our readers may remember the contrasts that were then drawn between this place and its greater namesake, and what prophetic glances were cast towards the possible future of the town which lay at the head of the navigation of the George's River. But the railway came and passed on, and Liverpool fell back into its tranquillity. As ARNOLD says of the Oriental race,

"They heard the legions thunder past,
Then lapsed in thought again."

Mr. SAMUEL, who as an employer of labour in the town was entitled to exhort with authority, thought that something might be done to cultivate the land round the town and make it more productive, and that if the soil were better treated some valuable produce might be garnered, for which the neighbouring metropolis would find a ready market. But Mr. SAMUEL is a nominee, and is not afraid of losing his election. He could afford to tell truths which even implied some little reproach. But Mr. LACKEY is a member for the district, and he could not acquiesce in any imputations against men who will have to exercise the suffrage in November next, so he fell to excusing his constituents. He told Mr. SAMUEL that it would not pay to manure the soil, and explained to his audience that it was not the correct thing for them to trouble themselves with improved tillage, and that it was far better that that should be carried on at a distance, and the produce be brought to town on the public railways at a very cheap rate—a rate which at present is unremunerative. Another speaker also defended Liverpool from the charge of insolence, and explained that a good deal had been done, and instanced that a number of large families had been produced.

Mr. SCRIVENER, a local resident, explained that the town was unfortunate in being hacked up on one side by Church and School lands, and on another by an estate which is a Church endowment. This is, no doubt, a drawback. But the energies of the people, pent up in one direction, might have been concentrated with greater force in the directions that were open, instead of being reserved for future destinies.

Parramatta and Liverpool have each earned the sobriquet of Sleepy Hollow—a nickname due, of course, to jealousy. Perhaps something is owing to the fact that in each of them the Government expenditure is greater in proportion to the population than in most other towns, and that is apt to have a very benumbing effect. Self-reliance is the great secret of success, and towns, as well as people, that trust to the Government are apt to exercise the faculty of trust so intensely as to leave them no energy for anything else.

In early days the county of Cumberland produced a great deal of wheat, and of very good quality; but frequent cropping without manure and shallow ploughing exhausted the soil, and that harvest came to an end. The destiny of the soil of the county has for many years been that of grazing, and to a large extent depôt grazing for the stock brought down for consumption in the metropolis. The practice of sending to town by railway country-killed meat is altering the character of this trade. This change will grow, so that the soil of the metropolitan county may have to be put to other uses. It is very largely a heavy clay, the surface disintegration of a blue shale. It does not look promising at first, but no fair test has been made of what it can do after deep draining, subsoiling, and dressing. The time will come when the whole character of the country will be changed, and when, instead of seeing, as we can now, close to the railway line primitive-looking paddocks which seem never to have thrown more than a scanty herbage, and that for a part of the year, we shall see luxuriant dairy farms, rich market gardens, productive orchards, and perhaps mulberry plantations. Meanwhile, now that Liverpool has had £2200 spent in a new post-office, we hope that it will take fresh heart and set an example, more especially as it has the advantage of a freshwater river available for irrigation, and of a saltwater river available for navigation.

English papers lately received contain full reports of the proceedings in the House of Commons when Mr. O'DONNELL was attacking the French Ambassador, and Mr. GLADSTONE moved that he should not be heard. The House sat upon the occasion until nearly 2 o'clock in the morning, and, according to the *Times*, the night was memorable for a "demonstration of unruly riot and deliberate irrelevance." Great hopes are entertained in some quarters as to the improvement to be wrought in our Assembly by a large increase in the number of its members. It is clear from experience in the House of Commons, that numbers alone give no effectual guarantee against deliberate waste of time, or even against disorder. All that is wanted, whether the numbers be small or large, is to have a few members willing to abuse the forms of the House to suit their own special purposes. In such a case, unless the House as a body is prepared to preserve its forms from abuse by taking strong action of some sort, there is no escape from obstruction and that which is of the essence of disorder. And it is almost certain that attempts to check the abuse of the forms of the House, when such attempts are opposed and such abuses are defended for party purposes, must result in unseemly wrangling and confusion. Under the late Conservative Government a small section of the Irish members endeavoured to control the House by obstructing its proceedings. They were technically in order, but their conduct was well-nigh intolerable, and much time was spent by the House in trying to establish new rules of procedure that would conquer the difficulty. But the evil was not destroyed. Mr. O'DONNELL appears to have been technically in order, though he was guilty of a gross abuse of a privilege which other members have exercised. Mr. GLADSTONE invited the House to deal with this act of abuse in a summary way; but, as the *Times* remarks, a stranger might have inferred from the tumult of antagonism to the Ministerial proposal that "the partizans of obstruction had suddenly become the favourites and protégés of Parliament instead of its bugbears."

Of all the members who spoke in the House of Commons against Mr. GLADSTONE'S motion there was hardly one who did not take pains to express his strong disapproval of Mr. O'DONNELL'S action. When it was pointed out to them that if the motion were rejected, Mr. O'DONNELL would have liberty to continue in the course which they condemned, they could only fall back upon the cry that the freedom of debate was imperilled. This was a manifest mistake. In the name of freedom they were defending its abuse: for it was the abuse which Mr. GLADSTONE attacked, and not freedom itself. But there will always be a tendency to resort to tactics of this kind, until leading members on the Opposition side will recognise the principle that they are as much interested as any Government may be in suppressing the abuse of forms, technicalities, and privileges. Parliamentary rules, designed to secure freedom of debate, are endangered, not upheld, by identifying them with offences committed under their cover.

In commenting upon these proceedings some time ago, in the light of imperfect information received by telegraph, we assumed that Mr. GLADSTONE had acted upon the strength of the new rules that were passed for the purpose of controlling obstruction three years ago. This was not the case. The course he took was not entirely unprecedented, for, as the Speaker said, there were instances of a motion like his being made in the sixteenth century. But, as the Speaker pointed out, it is very doubtful whether a proceeding such as that which led to the motion in this case had taken place within two hundred years. Mr. GLADSTONE confessedly made a motion that was exceptional and peculiar, in order to deal with a case that was peculiar and exceptional. The Speaker had, in a manner, appealed to the House. When Mr. O'DONNELL, after receiving an answer to his questions, was proceeding to enlarge upon the subject to which they referred, the Speaker interrupted him and said: —"I must put it to the House whether a statement questioning the appointment of a Foreign Ambassador to this country should be debated without notice, on a motion for the adjournment of the House. . . . It does appear to me a grave abuse of the privileges enjoyed by every member of this House that a question bringing a charge against a foreign Ambassador should be brought forward simply on a motion for adjournment." After this appeal to the House and expression of opinion by the Speaker, Mr. O'DONNELL was again proceeding with his remarks when Mr. GLADSTONE rose to order and said, "I feel it my duty to give the House an opportunity of expressing its judgment on this subject by moving that Mr. O'DONNELL be not heard."

In view of the actual circumstances of the case, the real question at issue was neither, as Sir STAFFORD NORTHCOTE put it, whether it was irregular to raise a debate on a motion for adjournment, in consequence of an answer to a question being considered unsatisfactory, nor whether it was in order for any member, while another member, who was not out of order, was in possession of the House, to rise in the middle of that member's speech and interrupt him by moving that he be no longer heard. Both these queries quietly ignored the particular circumstances out of which the motion had arisen, and diverted attention from the critical point of the controversy. Mr. FORSTER showed a truer apprehension of the case when he said, "It is a question whether we are to give up the right which belongs to every Assembly in the world that I have ever heard of, of not allowing itself to be made use of for purposes for which it ought not to be made use of, and of not allowing our freedom of debate to be turned into license. . . . Are we to admit that there is no case whatever in which we will allow a debate to be stopped?" The Marquis of HARTINGTON also showed that he saw the turning point when he said, "The question is whether it is not necessary, on an emergency of a certain character, for the House to take action under the advice of its leader to prevent its forms being abused for purposes which are prejudicial to the public welfare. . . . It is the duty of the leader of the House, when he sees that its forms are being abused for the purpose of infringing the honour and dignity of the House and its proceedings, to take whatever action may be necessary to prevent that abuse and the degradation of the forms of the House." And Mr. GLADSTONE, in defending his action, fell back upon the broad principles that the Speaker, though the guardian of order in the House, is not the guardian of propriety, and that "there must be in every Assembly an ultimate power to be used over its own members for limiting the course of discussion in a way that the guardian simply of its written rules cannot possibly do."

The conclusion of the whole matter appears to be that at some point or other a choice must be made between curtailing the liberty of a man who abuses it, and curtailing the liberty of men who content themselves with its right exercise. In legislative bodies where the rules provide for freedom of debate, the members are entrusted with that freedom for a particular purpose. If any of them use it for improper purposes, what follows? Others may do the same; all may do the same. The very purpose for which the Legislature exists may be frustrated. To prevent that, one of two courses must be followed. The rules must be altered so as to allow less freedom to the whole body, or the whole body should be willing in defence of its freedom to put restraint or inflict punishment upon individual members by whom that freedom is abused.

The Parliament of Queensland has been exercised, as our own Parliament was a couple of sessions ago, on the subject of its privileges. A leading member in the Legislative Assembly of the Northern colony has deliberately defied the control of the House, just as a member, although not by any means a leading one, of our own Assembly, contumaciously disregarded the authority of the Assembly here. There has been this difference, however, that the case of Mr. M'ELHONE in the Assembly was one of intemperate contempt equally in the manner as in the matter of the offence, whereas in Queensland the defiance was deliberate, studied, and at the same time accompanied by every decency which a courteous instinct suggested. The case is briefly this. A motion was brought forward in the Assembly that the reporters for the Press should be admitted to take notes of the proceedings at a committee appointed to investigate certain charges against the Premier. The motion was put to the House and formally rejected. The Assembly thus, with sufficient directness, intimated that the proceedings of the committee were to be secret until it should have completed its labours and submitted its report to the House. In direct defiance of that decision, one of the members of the committee—the Hon. JOHN DOUGLAS, an ex-Premier—openly announced that he intended to furnish reports of its proceedings to one of the Brisbane dailies, and actually did so. That his action constituted a breach of the privileges admits of no doubt whatever. It is a necessary and fundamental rule of Parliament that a decision come to by the majority, after due debate, is binding on all its members, provided, of course, that the decision is not *ultra vires* or *contra bonos mores*. Mr. DOUGLAS, therefore, struck not only at the authority of the House, but at the basis of its action; because there can be no guarantee for order, and consequently none for the progress of business, if the ruling of the House is to be defied by individual members. The case is too clear for doubt, and the members of the Opposition party, of which Mr. DOUGLAS is a distinguished leader, would find it a hard matter to justify their votes to the contrary. It is obvious that cases may arise in which the good of the country would be best served by the strictest possible secrecy being preserved with regard to the proceedings of a Parliamentary inquiry. The particular investigation referred to may not be one to which this is applicable. We believe it is not, but that, on the contrary, the fullest publicity at every stage of the inquiry would be advantageous. But on a debatable point of that kind it is peremptorily requisite that the House itself shall decide. Mr. DOUGLAS, actuated, no doubt, by the high motives which he has urged in his justification—namely, that the public interest demanded that information should not be withheld—has inaugurated a precedent radically and destructively bad. He has asserted the right of a private member to nullify the formal resolution of the Legislative Assembly. Admitting for the sake of argument that in this instance the irregularity has been committed by a member of high character, acting under a due sense of responsibility, what is there to prevent hereafter a member of no sort of reputation at all, or of a reputation worse than none, from divulging proceedings, ordered to be kept private, to serve his own ends, to defeat a good cause, or tempted by the prospect of pecuniary reward? Mr. DOUGLAS has pleaded that he kept within his rights. The plea admits of cavil. The Assembly has adjudged him to have been guilty of a breach of its privileges, and it is hard to comprehend how a member of Parliament's private or individual rights can supersede the privileges of the body his inclusion in which affords him the opportunity for divulging proceedings ordered to be held sacred. If an individual be, in Mr. DOUGLAS' opinion, within his rights, so long as he keeps out of the reach of punishment by law, the honorable gentleman's contention becomes comprehensible. The legal authorities on both sides in the Queensland Assembly have concurred in pronouncing that the House possesses no power to punish even a declared breach of its privileges by one of its members. The Premier, who had moved that the offender should be committed to the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, deferred to these opinions and withdrew his motion. In lieu thereof, he gave notice of his intention to bring in a bill to confer fuller powers upon the Assembly to punish for offences against its authority. The circumstances seem to point to some such measure being required. If hon. members are pleased to be garrulous and to disclose matters which the House has decided should be withheld, they should certainly be liable to discipline. Their personal rights will by no means be endangered. Secrecy with regard to matters of party contention need seldom be enforced, and punishment of a member, supported by the continued confidence of a considerable minority in the House and in the country, can never be more than a farce, and is not often likely to be attempted. But there may be national concerns which the indiscretion or corruptness of one evil member might divulge, to the general injury; and Parliament should, assuredly, be in a position to deal with such contingencies. It is only to be hoped that the Queensland Premier, should he introduce his Privileges Bill, will not be attracted by precedents in New South Wales, and induced to turn out an engine suited for nothing except to limit the rights of the unoffending public.

A modern counterblast against the use of tobacco in order to be effective should be adjusted so as to reach fairly the joints of the modern smoker's harness. Mankind is no longer governable by the bogie system, any more than a European battalion could be demoralized by the time-honoured device of Chinese warfare, which aims at shaking antagonists' nerves with monstrous and horrible faces painted on the shields of the attacking party. While concurring with Dr. WAZIR BEG in believing that smoking by juveniles is far too prevalent, his advice would probably have more effect if he placed juvenile smokers on a distinct footing. The terrific quotations which he brandishes in the faces, not only of juvenile, but of adult smokers will probably not be productive of the desired result. Most people have read matters somewhat similar before, and have contrasted them with the result of their own experience and of general observation. With men, as with birds, a scarecrow which has been used too frequently loses all its terrors. It may be true that in cases which have come under medical observation the long list of physical miseries which Dr. BEG details have been suffered. But to be deterrent, it will be requisite to convince smokers that the individual risk is serious. Obviously, were such afflictions the inevitable results of indulgence in tobacco, or even a common result, the habit would long ago have been generally abandoned. The British nation, to go no further, may without much exaggeration be called a nation of smokers as regards the males, and certainly it is not under a national infliction of giddiness, sickness, vomiting, paralysis, apoplexy, and mania; nor has it been demonstrated that because men smoke, and women do not, the longevity of male Britons is less than that of female Britons, or their average health inferior. There is good work to be done in convincing youths that early smoking is, as a rule, injurious to their stamina; but to rush into extremes, and parade a list of diseases in such a manner as to convey the impression that it is intended to insist that these are with adults common effects of smoking, when the every-day experience of people assures them that such results are quite exceptional, is to shoot over the mark. A good sportsman never overcharges his gun, and the same moderation may with advantage be practised by those worthy persons who make it their business in life to "shoot folly as it flies."

Those who thought that the second Australian Eleven would prove inferior to the first must now confess themselves mistaken. Out of about twenty matches that the Eleven have played not one has been lost. This is a success which is all but unparalleled. The Eleven that went home two years ago failed in several important matches, and the English Elevens that have visited these colonies frequently suffered defeats. Cricket is, to no small extent, a game of chance as well as of skill, and the uninterrupted success which has followed our men through the season is no doubt due, in some degree, to good fortune as well as to good play. The play, however, must have been of a high order to so frequently place them on the winning side. In the early stage of the season the teams against which the Eleven had to compete were not considered strong, and on that account no great importance was attached to their victories. The last few matches, however, have brought against them some of the leading Elevens in England. The Gloucestershire Eleven, especially, has been for years past considered equal to the best that could be brought into the field, and the victory which the Australians have achieved over them has, as we reported yesterday, been a most decisive one. It is to be regretted that any difficulty should be thrown in the way of a contest between the Australian Eleven and a picked eleven of the mother country. Such a difficulty, if we may judge from reports which have reached us, does, however, exist. Some of the leading English cricketers persist in perpetuating the Lord HARRIS quarrel, and in regarding it as a reason why they should keep aloof from any cricketers who may happen to hail from Australia. This spirit is hardly worthy of the class Lord HARRIS represents, and the consequences of it must do more harm to English cricketers than they are likely to do to our own. From reports which have come to the colonies, it would seem that the Australian Eleven have good ground for complaining of the manner in which they have been received in some English cricketing circles; and it is to be feared, therefore, that the differences which are being fostered will interfere with future contests between the mother country and the colonies. It is satisfactory to find that the manner in which our men are acquitting themselves is in every way creditable, and that, in the field especially, they are proving themselves equal to the best cricketers in the world.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

IT is probable that the office of Agent-General will be filled up without further delay. We understand that it has been offered to the Hon. Saul Samuel, C.M.G., and that it is not at all unlikely he will see his way to accept it. From Mr. Samuel's Parliamentary status, long mercantile experience, and knowledge of the colony and its requirements, the appointment will doubtless give general satisfaction.

HIS HONOR Mr. JUSTICE WINDEYER has received a commission, under the "Supreme Court Temporary Judge Continuation Act of 1880," empowering him to act as a Judge of the Supreme Court for another year. The oaths of office were yesterday administered to his Honor at Government House.

RECOGNIZING the importance of supplying a long-felt want, the Commissioner for Railways has made the requisite arrangements by which parcels may be booked at the central office, in George-street, next the Post Office, for conveyance by steamer and train to any station on the Great Northern Railway. By taking the responsibility of delivering the parcels to the steamer, and removing them thence to the railway at Newcastle, the department will afford a great convenience to the public. Heretofore there had often been a doubt on the part of people sending parcels as to whether they would be immediately and safely removed from the steamer to the train at Newcastle. Through this arrangement Sydney is practically connected with the Great Northern Railway, so far as the carriage of parcels is concerned.

AN officer in the Lands department was sent on Thursday last to obtain from the bank a large sum of money—it is said, about £700 or £800. As he has not yet returned, some anxiety is naturally felt as to his whereabouts.

MR. F. R. WELLS, the local agent for the invention, fitted up one of the Edison-Bell Telephones, yesterday, at the Sydney Exchange, and a fellow one at Mr. Cracknell's room at the General Post Office, the two instruments being connected by the usual wire. During the day almost everyone who entered the Exchange touched the communicator and started a conversation, so that Mr. Cracknell, Mr. Maguire, and Mr. Wells, who relieved each other at the other end, were kept employed pretty busily in answering queries, many of which were of a rather silly character. The telephone worked admirably; the tone is clear, the means of communication simple, and the whole apparatus little liable to get out of order. We are informed that an effort is to be made to establish here a Telephone Exchange—that is, an institution between which and the houses or warehouses of subscribers telephonic communication will be established. Then, if a subscriber at the North Shore wishes to speak to another at the Glebe, he will be able to do so by signalling to the clerk at the Exchange office, and getting him to connect the wires running to the North Shore and the Glebe residences respectively, and the conversation will go on without fear of anyone overhearing it *en route*. This offers a great convenience to business men, and the project is likely to be taken up.

SOME time ago, the trustees of the Australian Museum invited fishermen and others to send in specimens of fish to be found on the coast and in the rivers of this colony, of a nature suitable for human food, with the view of forming a collection for the Melbourne International Exhibition. Up to the present time, however, the response has not been very general, only a comparatively few specimens having come to hand, and these principally of an inferior kind. As the time for receiving exhibits at the Melbourne Exhibition will shortly expire, the trustees of the Museum desire us to again call attention to the matter, in the hope that they may be enabled to forward to Melbourne a good collection of piscatorial specimens from this colony. The subject is one of considerable importance as affecting the fresh food supply of the colony; and as the exhibits in such a collection would undoubtedly prove of unusual interest, we trust that the matter will be taken up in a broad spirit, and that those who are in a position to assist the trustees of the Museum in their object will do so with as little delay as possible. As has been already stated, the trustees are willing to bear any reasonable expense which may be incurred in obtaining the desired specimens.

IN the Supreme Court, yesterday, his Honor Mr. Justice Hargrave, after dealing with Equity matters in chambers, in Quigley v. Quigley, continued the interim injunction, and appointed Mr. A. Brown as receiver in the estate till the hearing; and in Evershed and others v. Hodson also continued the injunction. Mr. Justice Windeyer, after disposing of common law motions and applications in chambers, presided in the Banco Court. Amos, Brothers, v. the Commissioner for Railways, an action arising out of the contract for the construction of the railway from Yass to Cootamundra, was settled. In the Jury Court, his Honor Sir William Manning and a special jury of twelve resumed the trial of Campbell v. the Commercial Bank. At the close of the plaintiff's case a nonsuit was moved for, on the ground that, according to the judgment of the Privy Council, the plaintiff had not made out a case, as he had altogether failed to show that the bank had dispensed with a tender of the amount due to them by the plaintiff after the bank had made their demand, as mortgagees, under the Real Property Act, and in consequence of the refusal to comply with which the bank sold, and so gave rise to the present action. His Honor declined to nonsuit. The defendants' case was then adjourned till Monday. In the case of Hinchcliff v. West, for £407 0s. 1d., due under a mortgage and for further advances, tried before Mr. Justice Windeyer in the Banco Court, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff for the amount claimed.

DURING the progress of business in the Insolvency Court, yesterday, his Honor the Chief Commissioner took occasion to refer to a practice which has of late become very common among persons attending the Court—namely, that of indulging in audible conversation with one another to the interruption of the business of the Court. The courtroom, which is a small and incommodious building, is invariably thronged with creditors and other parties interested in the various matters to be decided, and the noise both inside and outside the court is often of such a nature as to render it a matter of some considerable difficulty to hear anything that is going on. The offence was so flagrant yesterday morning that in one instance his Honor had occasion to administer a quasi reprimand to the parties offending in this respect.

THE sittings of the Court of Quarter Sessions were concluded yesterday, at the Darlinghurst Court-house, before his Honor Mr. District Court Judge Dowling. William Maguire was acquitted of a charge of indecent assault; and Ah See was also acquitted, the charge against him being that of obtaining money by false pretences.

SOME are sure to be benefitted whatever may be the state of the weather, so the dry season must have been most welcome to the railway contractors, Messrs. A. and R. Amos, who have only had about two wet days during the last three months. The extension is making rapid strides towards completion, and would doubtless have progressed at a much greater rate had it been possible to obtain more hands for the works. As it is, this difficulty shows no signs of decreasing, the attractions of the Temora Gold-field proving too strong for many a pick and shovel man. Last Saturday was pay day, and about 100 men took the road for Temora after receiving their money. As the contractors were very short handed before this stampede, it must cause them great inconvenience, which they are trying to obviate, or at any rate lessen, by importing labour from outside. Between 70 and 80 navvies arrived on Sunday, most, it is reported, from the colony of Victoria.

THE Orange Slaughtering Company (limited) are prosecuting their enterprise with great vigour, and, possessing ample capital combined with good business elements, promise, despite sinister forebodings, to achieve marked success. The resolute manner in which the company have cut down the hitherto prevailing prices of meat, and the facilities they possess in ample paddock accommodation, &c., for slaughtering beasts in the fittest condition, enable them to take a prominent position in the leading markets, and successfully combat opposition. The company have made arrangements for sending to Sydney, daily, about 36 carcases of beef and 300 of mutton. This is independent of the district supply, which is very considerable. It is anticipated that the extent to which their operations are developing will necessitate considerable additions to their establishments.

THE energetic proprietors of the Corangula Antimony Mining and Smelting Works, at the Macleay, are just now making a great show, some thirty or forty hands being employed—some raising and dressing ore on tribute, others brickmaking, bark stripping, and preparing site for machinery. The furnace built some time since for the production of crude antimony is apparently in readiness to commence work again immediately, if stacks of firewood and bags of ore be any indication. The tribute prices paid are £6 per ton for best ore, and £1 per ton for refuse carrying 25 per cent. of antimony. These prices seem fair and reasonable, and, judging by appearances, satisfactory to all parties concerned. Some large blocks of antimony have been raised to the surface, notably one weighing about 6 cwt. or thereabouts, said to be intended for the Melbourne Exhibition.

THE arrangements for the series of lectures to be given in Sydney by Mr. Richard A. Proctor are now complete; but the eminent astronomer, having some farewell engagements to fulfil in Victoria, will not arrive here until the end of next week. The lectures will be delivered at the School of Arts; and the subject of the opening discourse, which will be given on Monday, the 16th instant, is "The Life and Death of a World." First and second class tickets for the course will be issued, and the plan of reserved seats will be at Mr. George Robertson's book store, the holders of course tickets having the preference in the selection of places.

OUR recent telegrams from Parkes have announced a brighter prospect for the reefing industry in that district. The following intelligence has been communicated to the *Sydney Mail*:—"It is a well-known fact that there are several rich reefs and others bearing payable gold in the immediate neighbourhood of the town, as well as others close by. What we want is practical miners amongst gold-bearing quartz, and capital to develop our riches. The reef opened last year by Leighton, Jones, and party, has proved itself good, and now two other parties have splendid prospects in the same locality (if not on the same reef upon another quite as good); and the Bonnie Dundee reef, which has always been payable, has been turning out some rich stone lately. I have seen some rich stone in Victoria; but that which was shown to me last week from the last-named reef was the richest I ever saw (fully one-half the stone gold), and there are several reefs now unworked which would pay well in proper hands. And another advantage, our district is one of the best for selection in the colony, and would be much more so if the Government would throw open the whole or a portion of the large reserves in the neighbourhood which are really not now required: and, besides, they could be taken up under the 14th section. This would induce settlement, and would be no injury to the diggers. There is a movement now on foot for this purpose, and as an instance why this should be acceded to, the following will show. Last week there were three men possessed of close upon as many thousand pounds who would have remained with us if they could have got three selections within a reasonable distance; the reserves stop them. However, they and others will come back if we can induce the Government of the day to throw the now unwanted reserves open."

IT is now the rule to publish a "newspaper" on the large passengers' steamers trading between the old country and the colonies, "on the voyage out." The passengers by the Potosi determined that there should be no exception to that rule in their case, so a week after leaving Gravesend the *Potosi Times* was an established fact, under the management of Messrs. W. Newtown and C. Gardiner, with Mr. A. Cairns as peripatetic reporter. The news and notes, &c., with which it is filled, are both witty and wise, and must have tended largely to while away the tedium of the voyage. Since the arrival of the Potosi in Port Jackson the *Potosi Times* has been reprinted by Messrs. Lee and Ross, of Market-street, who have done their work well. The five numbers of the paper are now comprised in sixteen pages octavo, having two columns in each page.

THERE seems to be more genuine content in the Newcastle district than has been apparent for a long time past, and the reason of this is easily accounted for. Since the termination of the late strike all the collieries have settled down steadily to work, and have continued so up to the present time. As a rule, the work has been pretty evenly divided, and therefore, as all seem to be getting a fair share, there is little or no cause for grumbling. The Wallsend colliery has, however, lately been more favoured than the rest, in consequence of the arrival in port of a number of San Francisco-bound ships. Wallsend coals have always enjoyed the premier hold upon the San Francisco market, and very few companies beyond the Greta Company have ever attempted anything like competition with them. The latter company not being in a position at present to undertake large shipments has left Wallsend in possession of the whole trade. There are several large ships in port on the berth for San Francisco loading and to load, and besides these there is tonnage to the extent of 8000 or 9000 tons shortly expected here to load Wallsend coals for the same destination. Few, if any, of the miners will grudge this increased activity at the Wallsend colliery, as the miners working there have had quite their share of slack times at no very distant period back, and consequently require plenty of regular work to pull them through their difficulties.

A MEETING of the Trinity Auxiliary of the Church Society was held in the schoolroom, Lower Fort-street, on Thursday evening last. The Rev. Edward Rogers presided, and there was a fair attendance of the parishioners. After the annual report of the auxiliary had been read by the honorary secretary, a most interesting address was delivered by the Rev. John Langley, incumbent of St. David's, in which he traced the history and progress of the Church Society, showing by the way, how much good it had actually done, and pointing out how much yet remains to do. His address was a most eloquent one, and created quite a warm interest amongst his audience in the work of the society; an interest which, it is hoped, will lead to increased efforts upon the part of the people to support so excellent an institution.

THE usual monthly meeting of the Master Butchers' Association was held at the Temperance Hall, on Wednesday evening last. Mr. J. F. Smith occupied the chair. The principal business was to determine the date upon which the annual picnic should take place, and the election of the committee. After some discussion, it was resolved that Wednesday, 15th of September, be fixed as the date of the annual gathering. The following gentlemen were elected as a committee:—Messrs. J. Walsh, T. Elliott, Carrugatti, Glass, Woolfe, Bryant, Churchwood, Konecke, Tye, Duurich, Fay, Mitchell, Smith, Wilson, Inchiell, Turner, Green, and Alderman Playfair. The usual vote to the chairman closed the proceedings.

CONCERNING Temora, the correspondent of the *Sydney Mail* writes as follows:—"The rush continues without abatement. Daily coaches now ply between the rush and Junee, and Cobb and Co. and Slatyer bring crowds of people from Cootamundra. At a very low estimate the population must have increased by at least 2000 during the past fortnight, and good judges estimate the number of people now on the rush at 10,000. There is, I am afraid, every reason to fear that the prevailing excitement all over the colony has carried too many off their feet, and induced them to give up a fair livelihood for a delusive dream. There has been nothing as yet discovered to justify the enormous influx of people that is now taking place, and bitter disappointment awaits the majority of those whose excited imagination has led them astray. Hundreds arrive here utterly unfit for the hard life to be met with on a new rush, and the inevitable result of their folly must necessarily be present disappointment and future misery. The same warning may be addressed to the shoal of business men daily thronging to the field. We have now about 47 claims more or less payable, which, if water were available, would perhaps employ in one way or another 1000 men. On the other hand, we have enough stores, public houses, and tradesmen's shops to supply the necessaries and luxuries of 10 times the number. Competition is already so keen that Cootamunda prices rule in most articles. Yet there is no end of new business places going up in the surveyed township, where a perfect mania for building sites reigned for about a fortnight. Allotments fronting Hoskins-street that at the commencement of last month had been taken up for the ordinary survey and registration fee of £1 3s. 6d. were easily disposed of at from £50 to £172 10s., the latter price having been paid by the Bank of New South Wales for a corner allotment." As to water supply at Temora, the correspondent of the *Sydney Mail* says:—"There is no great watershed in the immediate neighbourhood, and hence the natural storage is hardly worth speaking of. Depressions in the ground, hardly discernible, here bear the dignified name of 'creeks;' possibly there is a waterhole of the size of a duckpond in existence once in every hundred square miles. The few dams and tanks constructed by the lessee of the run may perhaps suffice for the present population during the winter months; but any one who has travelled the country in the midst of summer and has had to use their contents for even so little time can easily imagine the direful consequences that must ensue ere long, unless provision is made for a plentiful supply. As the water gradually evaporates, the bottom of the tank is gradually intermixed, and a horrible green slimy scum floating on the top bespeaks innumerable diseases. If an epidemic of the worst kind is to be forestalled, very little time is to be lost, and a large reservoir should be constructed without delay. An enterprising individual proposes to import a boring-machine for the purpose of testing the country for subterraneous water. There seems to be very little chance of the experiment proving successful, unless the borings are carried deep enough to touch an artesian spring, which is a rather formidable undertaking. There is more likelihood that water will be struck in the reefs as soon as the shafts on the underlie reach the proper depth. Up to the present, however, none of the reefs are worked to any extent, so that we must leave this source of a water supply out of our reckoning; and, as before stated, the prospects of the boring-machine proving successful are all but delusive. Yet the speculation of bringing up one on to the field would most likely prove profitable, as it might be utilized in trial borings along the lead. Hard strata rarely occur on the field until the washdirt is reached, and the employment of the borer might, therefore, effect an immense saving in time and labour, in proving the run of the lead."

A CORRESPONDENT desires us to draw the attention of the Commissioner for Roads to the dangerous excavations made by the carters who are removing the sand with which to reclaim a portion of Rushcutter Bay. The Government has just expended some thousands of pounds in putting the road in repair, yet the officer in charge (if any) has allowed diggings to a depth of ten feet to be made within two feet of the side stones, which are now falling into the holes. He cannot understand why the sand cannot be taken from somewhere else.

"THE Mutiny" is the title of an advertising medium which has just been issued by Mr. W. B. Campbell, of the Furnishing Arcade, George-street. Side by side with advertisements containing full information as to the goods offered for sale by the firm is a "History of the Mutiny of the Bounty," which has the merit of brevity, and yet contains all the main facts of that notable event. "The Mutiny" contains sixteen pages, 8vo., and is neatly printed by Messrs. Jarrett and Co.

THE once pretty grassy hill, situated between Victoria, Barrack, and Selwyn streets (says a correspondent), is being dug up and carried away by sand carters, and has now become an eyesore and a source of danger to the children who are in the habit of playing about there. Large portions of the hill are undermined and left in that state, and unless some action is taken to prevent it there is reason to fear that portions of it may give way and bury any of the children who may be near.

A CORRESPONDENT writes:—"A short time since my name, newly painted on the wall, was smudged over with tar, and after being repainted, has again been completely spoiled by the erasure of different letters. Should one put up a plate it is taken bodily away. Where are the police, and what are they about, that such outrages should occur so frequently in one of the principal streets of the city?"

"A COMPETITOR" complains of the length of time the trustees of Wentworth Park have taken to decide upon plans for laying out and beautifying that park. Some three or four months have elapsed since advertisements appeared offering as prizes £50 and £25 for the two best plans. He has been informed that over 30 designs have been received by the trustees, and thinks that there ought not to be much difficulty in deciding upon the two which are entitled to the prizes.

THE *Glen Innes Guardian* states that a valuable find of stanniferous country has been made a few miles from Wellingrove, in the direction of Strathbogie. Hamilton and party were the first to hit upon the hidden treasure.

THE *Wagga Advertiser* is credibly informed that a party of prospectors struck payable gold at a spot about three miles north of the surveyed township of Temora. The first washing is said to have produced the satisfactory result of 3 dwts. to the dish. As a consequence, a great number of miners immediately started for the supposed spot; and, as it is not on the main lead, it is probable another rich pocket may be discovered. A deep sinking of 156 feet was bottomed on the high reef. This is the deepest shaft that has as yet been sunk. There is about 18 inches of washdirt; and a washing revealed two specks of gold, one weighing about 1¼ gr., and the other 1 gr., as well as 1 gr. of fine gold, showing a yield of 3¾ grs. to the dish. The prospecting claim on Combanning run, known as the Somerset reef, had a trial crushing of 5 tons of stone, which produced 9 oz. 7 dwts. 6 grs. of smelted gold. This reef is about two feet wide and 30 feet deep, and bids fair to be a rich lead. It is stated that several parties will prospect on Combanning run.

A CORRESPONDENT says that he thinks missionaries are a greater necessity at Chippendale than at the South Sea Islands. He has been led up to this by disgraceful conduct which has on more than one occasion been witnessed by him in Middle-street, off Cleveland-street, in that suburb. He complains, also, of the absence of police protection, to which he attributes the frequency of the outbreaks of drunkenness and profanity, particularly on the Sabbath Day.

THE action now being tried in Melbourne, White v. Hoddle, involving property to the value of a quarter of a million of money, is one of grandson against grandfather. The parties to the suit (says the Melbourne *Telegraph*) are Robert Hoddle Dryburgh White, the plaintiff, and the defendant is Robert Hoddle, grandfather of the plaintiff, and at one time Surveyor-General of Victoria. The plaintiff seeks to recover possession of a valuable property in Elizabeth-street, situated on the west side, between Little Collins-street and Bourke-street. Mr. H. A. Porter, prothonotary, deposed as to the declaration of trust made by the defendant, Robert Hoddle, in favour of his first wife, Mary Hoddle; also that Thomas Clark the solicitor, John Verge Howie, and himself were witnesses to the deed. The declaration of trust was handed to Mrs. Hoddle, and the conveyance of the property was given to Robert Hoddle. Mrs. Hoddle at the time the deeds were handed over said she did not care what became of the other property, so long as this particular property was secured for her boys. She refused to deposit the declaration of trust with any one, but said she would keep it herself. Mrs. Hoddle paid Mr. Thomas Clark at the time for drawing up the deed. In 1854 Mr. Porter called upon Mrs. Hoddle by appointment. She took him up to her bedroom, and showed Mr. Porter a small trunk under the bed. She took out of the trunk the declaration of trust, and gave it to witness. He read it over to her aloud. The last time he saw the deed was in 1856, in Mrs. Hoddle's possession, at her house. Some

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months after Mrs. Hoddle's death, in 1862, witness made an observation to Mr. Hoddle to the effect that he supposed James and Robert, the grandchildren, were well provided for. He said, "Oh no, that arrangement has been altered some time ago." He remembered the plaintiff, Robert White, coming into his office in February, 1875. Witness had not visited the defendant since 1878. The next witness was the plaintiff, Robert Hoddle Dryburgh White. He was examined as to the particulars of his early life, and stated that his grandfather and grandmother treated him with the greatest affection. The old people used to quarrel a great deal. The old lady often said that her husband wished her dead, so that he could marry a younger woman. She always called the Elizabeth-street property as hers, and said, "Thank goodness, I have taken care that no young wife of yours shall have that property."

We are informed by the Electric Telegraph Department that the R.M.S. Malwa was passing Cape Borda for Adelaide, at half-past 9 o'clock last night (South Australian time).

A CORRESPONDENT writes:—"Notice has been given to the owners of steamers and launches using the Circular Quay for landing or embarking passengers that they will henceforth be required to pay ten shillings per day, or any portion of a day, for every steamer making use of the quay. This is making a passenger or steamboat tax of a rather oppressive nature, as many of the steamers do not earn much more than 10s. per day."

THE *Australasian Shipping News* states that Lloyd's surveyor at Auckland has forwarded to the committee of Lloyd's Register a recommendation that iron bulkheads be fitted in iron vessels abaft the forecastle, for the effectual prevention of that common and highly dangerous habit of pillage, so familiar to most shipowners in the form of claims from consignees of the plundered property. "We" (says the above journal) "have on several occasions drawn attention to the frightful risk of fire and explosion that is run in the reckless endeavours of sailors to get at liquor; and in further evidence of the need for some such precautionary measure as that referred to above, we quote a paragraph now appearing in the New Zealand papers with reference to the ship Chile, which arrived at Auckland on 19th June from London:—'Owing to a disclosure made by the cargo-broachers of the ship Chile, the police have got complete information as to how the plundering of the cargo went on during the voyage. How the ship escaped being blown up while drunken sailors roamed about in the hold over gunpowder barrels and crates of goods is miraculous.'"

IN consequence of certain remarks on the expenditure by Mr. Boothby, the Commissioner to the Paris Exhibition for South Australia, of £1500, that gentleman resigned his position in the Civil Service of the sister colony. The *Register* has been requested to publish the following statement:—"The amount of £1500 claimed by Mr. Boothby for personal expenses and unvouched accounts had nothing whatever to do with the £1500 which the warrant was drawn for. The £1500 for personal expenses, &c., had been disbursed in London and Paris while engaged in Exhibition duties, while the £1500 drawn for by the warrant was to pay accounts due by the Commission, the correctness of which has never been questioned. Mr. Boothby had no personal interest whatever in the £1500 drawn on the warrant, and this money was never in his possession, except so far that it was paid by the Treasury clerk into the English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank to the credit of the Executive Commissioner of the Paris Exhibition, and was then disbursed by him by cheques, the passbook for which has been duly produced. Further, about the half the amount of £1500 was for freight due in London, and the balance was for proceeds of goods which had been sold in Paris, and the amount of proceeds paid into the Commissioner's account, and of course had to be disbursed here to the several exhibitors before the accounts could be adjusted."

WE have received a circular from the office of *The Day of Rest*, Paternoster Row, London, relative to a subscription which has been started to aid the family of the late Mr. Richard Rowe, better known in the colonies as an author and writer for the Press under the *nom-de-plume* of "Peter Possum." The circular states that a liberal response has been made to the appeal which the editor of the above periodical inserted in the February number on behalf of the widow and children of Mr. Rowe, and a committee was formed to receive subscriptions and make satisfactory provision for the family, and in order to do so further subscriptions will be thankfully received and duly acknowledged. Any of the Australian admirers of the deceased gentleman, whose abilities have been recognised not only here but in England, who may desire to subscribe to the fund in aid may transmit their subscriptions to the office of this journal, which will be duly acknowledged in our columns.

WITH reference to a telegram in yesterday's issue, stating that no Sydney newspapers had arrived in West Maitland any evening during the week, up to Thursday, we are informed that there has been no morning steamer from Sydney, and that the papers have been regularly sent by each evening's steamer.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

The present bill at this theatre completed its third week last night; the performance was witnessed by a large number, to whom the entertainment afforded most hearty enjoyment. It is not often that a comedy is played in which there are so many good characters; the "star" system has not improved the modern plays; in too many cases, writers make their work to suit the stars, and managers follow suit by comparative indifference to the filling in of all but the leading parts. In "Betsy," as in all other plays produced by the London Comedy Company, the smallest part is properly filled; and in the play itself there are so many good characters that there is no need for surprise at the liberal patronage which it has received. The business, smooth at the beginning, goes as if on velvet now, the Parliamentary talk, the puns, the jokes and jealousies are carried on with inexhaustible spirit—and the study scene has become more than ever amusing and attractive. Mr. Marshall's entrance was greeted with a storm of approbation that lasted some minutes; the public have grown so familiar with the Tutor's peculiarities that much of the fun is anticipated, and to the occasional visitor for the first time the dialogue is partly lost through the pronounced appreciation of the *habitués*. Where all is so good, it is a pity that the actors should stoop to vary the business as they did last night—when the Tutor secures for Dolly £150, instead of the stipulated £100; in the early days the pupil presented him with half-a-sovereign (a portion of the "loan" for which "Europe" in 10 vols. is security), the Tutor accepted the 10s.—small enough "tip," indeed; but last night Dolly fumbled about and could only muster 3s. 6d., which the Tutor declined, declaring he "could not do it under three-and-nine." This we think out of place. The Tutor had done what he did without stipulating for any price; "gratitude is a keen sense of favours to come." Dolly might have bargained beforehand, but would not do so after. It is, doubtless, wearying to play the same part night after night, but such a change jars on the good effect. The ladies and gentlemen were summoned before the curtain after the second act, and the satisfaction of the audience was evinced in the liveliest manner.

The farce was as side-splitting as ever, the extraordinary fact of Betsy's "sixteen sisters" being "all girls" creating the usual excitement. The orchestra played several selections, that from "Sonnambula" being specially enjoyable. Mr. Rice deserves great praise for the excellent results he produces from such limited forces.

"Turn of the Tide" appears as a footnote to the playbills, a warning that a change is contemplated. If there are any theatre-going people who have not seen the two Betsies, this should act as a reminder.

To-night, in deference to the wishes of country patrons, the play "Betsy" will precede the farce "Betsy Baker."

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

"Pomp" was repeated at the Queen's Theatre last night, when the attendance was very fair. The play ran smoothly in most instances as the performers were fairly familiar with their parts. Some excellent scenery is provided, and the dancing and singing of the Georgia Minstrels are so good that they generally elicit encores.

OPERA HOUSE.

There was a repetition of programme at the Opera House last night, and the attendance was rather limited. "La Gazza Ladra," the after piece, is a novel burlesque of an interesting character, abounding with humorous situations and dialogues, which provoke very wide spread merriment. All the dresses in it are in good taste, but some of them are really splendid in appearance. Good orchestration is provided, and the singing and dancing are excellent, of their kind. This evening Mr. Greville will have a benefit, on which occasion he will appear in a drama entitled "Nicholas Nickleby."

TEMPERANCE HALL.

The Skating Rink was opened in the Temperance Hall on Thursday evening. There was a good attendance, and all seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves.

THIS day, at 11 a.m., at the Australian Sale Rooms, Spring-street, unreserved sale by auction of superior furniture, china, glass, plate, splendid breechloading guns, musical box, ship's medicine chest, sextants, theodolite, and complete set "Methodist Magazine." Bradley, Newton, and Lamb, auctioneers.

THE TRIAL OF NED KELLY.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

The notorious leader of the Kelly gang of bushrangers was brought before the Beechworth Police Court yesterday, charged with having, on the 26th October, 1878, murdered constables Lonigan and Scanlan, at Stringy Bark Creek. The prisoner was brought from the gaol in a cab at 8 o'clock, unknown to anyone, and was kept in a room in the Courthouse until 10 o'clock, when the Court was opened. Mr. Foster, P.M., presided; Mr. C. A. Smyth, Mr. Chomley, and Mr. Gurner appeared for the Crown; and Mr. D. Gaunson for the defence. Captain Standish and Superintendent Sadlier were also present. The chamber was crowded, and the gallery packed with ladies. The accused was carried into the dock, and as he is still lame a chair was given to him. Mr. Gaunson having only taken charge of the defence on the previous night, applied for a remand. Mr. Foster refused a remand, but adjourned the Court until 2 o'clock, to give Mr. Gaunson an opportunity of posting himself up in the facts of the case. On the reopening of the Court, Mr. Gaunson again applied for a remand for a week, on the ground that the facts of the case as published were so numerous that he required time to digest them. The remand was again refused; and Mr. C. A. Smyth, having indicated the line of evidence he intended to adduce for the prosecution, called constable M'Intyre as the first witness. M'Intyre was then examined. He gave an account of the expedition of the unfortunate party of police who started from Mansfield in search of the Kellys, and he had got as far as the time the gang were waiting for the return of sergeant Kennedy and constable Scanlan from their reconnoitering tour, when the Court was adjourned. Kelly was immediately conveyed back to the gaol by a party of armed police. The examination of constable M'Intyre will be continued this morning, at 10 o'clock.

SATURDAY, 2 A.M.

At Beechworth, yesterday, the precincts of the Court were crowded and much interest was shown in the trial. Ladies and all respectable persons were admitted by the side door. Mr. Gaunson made an application for Kelly's relatives to see the prisoner, but the Bench, relying on an order from the Chief Secretary, declined. Mr. Gaunson characterized it as monstrous that they could not see the prisoner, and that difficulties were thrown in the way of the defence. He has made another application by telegraph to Melbourne. There are a good many witnesses, and the case is likely to last some time.

The following is M'Intyre's evidence, so far as has been given to-day. Thomas M'Intyre deposed: I am a constable of police, at present stationed at the Richmond depot; in October, 1878, I was stationed at Mansfield; on the morning of the 25th of that month I left Mansfield with constables Scanlan and Lonigan in charge of Sergeant Kennedy; we left at about 5 o'clock in the morning to search for Edward and Daniel Kelly; warrants had been issued against them; the Edward Kelly we were in search of was the prisoner now in the dock; we camped at Stringy Bark Creek, about twenty miles from Mansfield; all four of us travelled on horseback and were armed; at Stringy Bark Creek the country is thickly timbered, but we camped on a clearing; the photograph produced shows a portion of the ground; there had been a hut on the clearing, but only remains of it were left standing; a number of logs were lying about; the opening was about an acre or two in area; we camped immediately behind the old hut, erecting a tent there; nothing occurred that night; on the following morning, the 26th of October, after breakfast, sergeant Kennedy and constable Scanlan left to patrol on horseback, and Lonigan and I remained in charge of the camp; Scanlan carried a revolver, and Kennedy had a Spencer repeating rifle; Lonigan and I had a revolver each, and one double-barrelled fowling-piece; during the day I was occupied for some time in baking bread and working about the tent; Lonigan was looking after the horses, and sometimes reading a book; he had also two saddle horses and a packhorse to look after; Kennedy and Scanlan left about 6 o'clock in the morning; about 12 o'clock, Lonigan called my attention to some noise in the creek; I went down to the creek to search, and took my fowling-piece; I could not find the cause of the noise, and thought it was a wombat; on my way back I fired two shots at parrots; I reloaded the gun with small shot, and placed it in the tent; about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Lonigan and I kindled a large fire to guide Kennedy and Scanlan, and prevent them from getting bushed; this fire was lit about 20 yards from the tent, and was at two logs which crossed each other; about ten minutes to 5 o'clock I went to the tent, for a billy to make tea; I had the tea made, and Lonigan was standing on the opposite side of the fire, when I suddenly heard some voices calling out, "Bail up, hold up your hands"; I quickly turned round, and saw four men, each armed with a gun at his shoulder, and pointing it in front of myself; I noticed the man on the right of the party particularly, and saw that his weapon was in a fair line for my chest; I was unarmed, and held out my arms horizontally; I then saw the same man point the gun, more to his right, and fire; he fired at Lonigan, who had started to run towards a tree; he was about fourteen yards from Lonegan when he fired, and I heard Lonigan fall immediately the shot was fired; he had only run four or five steps; I heard him breathing stentoriously and heavily; the man on the right of the party was the prisoner at the bar; the bushrangers were in a line, two or three yards between each other; when the prisoner had discharged his gun he threw it into his left arm, put his right hand behind his back, and drew a revolver and called out, "Keep your hands up;" I raised my hands above my shoulder; at this time the revolver and the fowling-piece were both in the tent; the prisoner and the three others rushed up to where I was standing, and stood at a distance of about three yards from me, and covered my chest with their firearms—three of them with guns, and the prisoner with a revolver; prisoner said to me "Have you got any firearms?" I replied I had not; Lonigan was plunging along the grass very heavily, and as the bushrangers rushed up to me he said, "Oh Christ, I'm shot;" the prisoner was within hearing distance; six or eight seconds afterwards Lonigan ceased to struggle and to breathe; a few minutes afterwards I saw him stretched out on his back, and that he was dead; when I replied to the prisoner that I had no firearms, he asked "Where is your revolver?" I said it was at the tent; he then said to his mates, "Keep him covered lads;" they kept me covered with their guns, and the prisoner himself searched me; he passed his hands all over my body and under my coat; finding nothing on me, he jumped across a log to where Lonigan was lying; he remained away a moment, and then returned with Lonigan's revolver in his hand; he said, "Oh, dear, what a pity that man tried to get away;" one of the others (Dan. Kelly) said "He was a plucky fellow; did you see how he caught at his revolver," and he moved his hand at the same side as Lonigan had done; the prisoner went over to the tent, and in the meantime the other three had lowered their firearms, but still kept them pointed in my direction; when he returned from the tent he had my revolver, and he told his mates to let me go; they then all went to the tent, and I remained standing near the fire; Daniel Kelly returned to me with a pair of handcuffs; Edward Kelly came up at the same time, and I heard his brother say, "We will put these upon the ——;" I appealed to the prisoner, saying "What is the use of putting these on me; how can I get away while you are all armed?" the prisoner said to Dan, "All right—don't put them on him, this (tapping his rifle) is better than handcuffs;" then turning to me, he said, "Mind you don't try to go away, because if you do I will shoot you; if I had to track you to the police station I would shoot you there;" Dan remarked, "The —— would soon put the handcuffs on us if they had us;" we then went to the tent; they called upon me to go in with them; I recognized Edward and Dan Kelly from the description and a photograph we had of Edward Kelly; when I arrived at the hut the prisoner was sitting outside the tent, with his gun across his knee; the other three were inside the tent; prisoner said to me "This is a curious old gun for a man to be going about the country with;" I replied "It is, but perhaps it is better than it looks;" he then said "You might say that, for I will back it against any gun in the country—I can shoot a kangaroo at 100 yards;" it was an old short-barrelled gun; it seemed to be rifled, and the stock and barrel were tied together with a waxed string, which covered three or four inches; at this time the prisoner took possession of the fowling-pieces I had left in the tent; he then said to me "Who is that over there?" pointing to the body; I replied, "That is Lonigan; he said "No, that is not Lonigan, for I knew him well;" I repeated "Yes, it is Lonergan," when he then said, "Well, I am glad of that, for he gave me a hiding in Benalla once"; Dan remarked, "He will lock no more of us poor —— up," at which the prisoner smiled; I identified one of the two others as Joseph Byrne, whose body I saw at Glenrowan; Byrne asked me to have a drink of the tea I had made; I did so, and then they all, with the exception of the prisoner, took some of the tea; before they did so, the prisoner asked "Is there any poison about here;" I said, "No, why should we have poison;" whilst the other three were having some tea, the prisoner took the cartridge out of the fowling-piece, picked out the ends of them, threw away the shot, placed a bullet in each cartridge, and reloaded the gun; he then said to Byrne, "Here, you take this gun and give me yours;" they accordingly exchanged; Byrne's gun was very old; the prisoner had now two guns, and he said to me, "There is one of these for you if you don't obey me; Byrne asked, "Do you smoke, mate, and I replied yes;" he then said, "Light your pipe and have a smoke with me," and I did so; the prisoner asked me for a bit of tobacco, and I gave him some; all this had only occupied some ten or fifteen minutes; the gang kept possession of their guns all the time; about this time prisoner said, "That will do, now, lads, take your places;" he went himself close to the fire, taking the two guns with him; the fourth man Hart remained in the tent whilst Byrne and Kelly went on to some spear grass which was growing on the outside of our camping ground. It was on the same side that the gang made their first appearance; I lost sight of Byrne and Dan Kelly in the spear grass; the prisoner concealed himself by kneeling down behind a large log near the fire; immediately after he had concealed himself he called me over, and pointing to the front of the log which concealed him, said, "You stand there;" the log was about three feet high; I went up, and we had a conversation; the prisoner asked who showed you to this place; I said no person showed it it to us; it is well known to all the people about Mansfield; he then asked "How did you come here?" I replied, "We crossed Holland's Creek, and came on in a straight line;" he then inquired "What brought you here?" and I said "You know very well who we are;" prisoner said "I suppose you came after me," and I replied "No, I don't know that we did come after you;" he said "You came after Ned Kelly then?" and I answered "Yes, we came after Ned Kelly;" he then said "Yes, you came to shoot me, I suppose"; "No," I replied, "but to apprehend your;" "Then why did you bring so many arms and so much ammunition?" he inquired, to which I replied "We brought the fowling-pieces to shoot kangaroos:" he next asked who was shooting down the creek that day; I said, "It was me, shooting at the parrots;" "That is very strange," he remarked, "Did you known we were there:" I replied, "No, we did not think that we were within ten miles of you; we thought you were there" (pointing in the direction of Greta); he then asked when Kennedy and Scanlan were to return to the camp; he had asked me where they were after he returned from Lonigan's body; in reply to his last question I said, "I do not think they will to-night, as I think they must have got bushed;" he asked, "Which direction did they go in?" I pointed north-west, in the direction of Benalla, and said they were there; the prisoner said, "That is very strange, but perhaps they will never come back, for there is a good man down the creek, and if they call on him you may never see them again;" he inquired their names and stations, and said "Sergeant Kennedy, of Mansfield, and constable Scanlan, of Benalla;" he said, "I have never heard of Kennedy, but I believe Scanlan is a flash dog;" I asked, "What do you intend doing with them, surely you don't intend to shoot them down in cold blood, if you do I would rather be shot a thousand times myself than tell you anything about them;" he replied, "Of course, I like to see a brave man; you can depend upon me not shooting them if you get them to surrender; I will shoot no man who holds his hands up;" I asked, "Do you intend to shoot me?"; he replied, "No; what would I want to shoot you for? I could have done so half an hour ago when you were sitting on that log if I wanted; at first I thought you were constable Flood; it is a good job for you that you are not, because, if you had been, I would not have shot you, but would have roasted you in that fire; there are four men in the police force, if ever I lay hands on them I will roast them—they are Fitzpatrick, Flood, Steele, and Straughan; he has been blowing that he would take me single-handed; how are these men armed;" I said, "In the usual way;" he asked what I meant by that—"Did they have revolvers;" I said "Yes;" he then asked, "And haven't they got a rifle;" I hesitated, and he said, "Come now, tell the truth—if I find you out in telling a lie I will put a hole through you; I then said "Yes, they had got a rifle;" he asked, "What sort is it, breechloading?" I replied "Yes." "Well," he said, "it looks like as if you came to shoot me;" I said, "You can't blame the men, they have their duty to do;" he replied, "You have no right to go about the country shooting people;" he then inquired, "What about the Sydney man?" I knew he referred to the murder of sergeant Wallings, and I said, "He was shot by the police;" to which he replied "If the police shot him, they shot the wrong man, I suppose some of you —— will shoot me some day, but I will make some of you suffer for it before hand."

At this stage the Court was adjourned until next day at 10 o'clock. Before Mr. Foster left the bench, Mr. Gaunson made an application for an order to allow Mrs. Skillian to see the prisoner in gaol. Mr. Foster replied that he would be happy to have an interview with Mr. Gaunson on the subject during the evening. Subsequently Mr. Gaunson applied privately to Mr. Foster for an order to admit Mrs. Skillian to the prisoner's cell, but he was again unsuccessful, and has now telegraphed for authority to the Chief Secretary.

PUBLIC RESERVES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I notice by a paragraph in your issue of this morning that the Minister for Lands has reserved from sale the Wollomumbi Falls, near Armidale. Mr. Hoskins is certainly to be commended for this liberality to lovers of the grand and beautiful, but it appears to me the generosity of the Minister might be very much extended in the same direction without injury to the public. Wollomumbi Falls are not the most beautiful or grandest of the many falls in New England, they are not as frequently visited as others; nor is the scenery in the district destitute of interest, as you seem to imagine. But what I write to suggest is, that the Minister should also reserve "Dangar's Falls" and "Mihi Creek Falls." These are within two miles of each other, and the former are within fifteen miles of Armidale, and as there is a good road all the distance the locality is a favourite one for the people of the district on holidays, for picnics, &c. The scenery is certainly equal to any in the colony for its wild grandeur. The water falls a distance of over 600 feet without a break in its descent, then rushes down another 200 feet or so to the bottom, which is accessible and frequently visited.

These falls are certainly among the first that should be reserved for the public. Mr. W. A. B. Greaves, formerly district surveyor at Armidale, is now in Sydney, and could give the Minister valuable information upon these falls, as well as other places of interest in the district of New England which should be reserved, such as Chandler's Peak, The Bluff near Tenterfield, &c. Yours, &c.,

W. P. C.

August 5.

MR. BOND ON FISCAL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Mr. Mackenzie Wallace, in his work on Russia, records the complaint of a village priest who was dissatisfied with the condition of his order, which could only be remedied, he thought, by freedom and publicity. In order to have freedom, he said we must have publicity, but how either would benefit him he did not understand.

Now, it seems to me that Mr. Bond's ideas are as cloudy as the Batushka's. "Real free trade" for the people means, according to him, ad valorem import and export duties. Most people, I think, believe to the contrary.

It was by means of the income-tax that Sir Robert Peel was enabled to confer upon the mother country the benefits of free trade, and it was the same source of revenue which enabled that Prince of financiers, Mr. Gladstone, only the other day, to set free from disabilities an important branch of industry. However, I agree with Mr. Bond, that the question of finance should be the principal one at the approaching elections, and, therefore, think he has done good service by initiating a discussion thereon.

Yours, &c., GEORGE PILE.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

(BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.)

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

(FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.)

THE SUEZ MAIL SERVICE.

LONDON, AUG. 6.

A large Indian deputation had an interview with the Marquis of Hartington (Secretary of State for the Indian Department) to-day, and urged the alteration of the date of the departure of the homeward mails. A favourable reply was received, the Marquis thinking that excellent reasons had been shown for the change.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

AFFAIRS IN AFGHANISTAN.

SIMLA, AUG. 6.

Later intelligence has been received by the Indian Government from General Burrows and General Primrose, whose messengers report that on Sunday last Ayoub Khan encamped at Sanghar, in the vicinity of Candahar. His losses in the engagement of the 27th July were extremely heavy, and he has in consequence been obliged to abstain from any further hostile movements against the British. Not only has his advance against Chaman been delayed, but he has hesitated to attack the forces of Generals Burrows and Primrose, who occupy strong positions in and about the city of Candahar.

No further information has transpired respecting the movements of General Phayre.

THE EVACUATION OF CABUL.

BOMBAY, AUG. 6.

It is stated that the Government of India continues to persist in its resolution to withdraw the entire British forces from Cabul at the earliest possible moment; and with the departure of General Roberts for Candahar, for which active preparations are being made, the evacuations of the capital will be completed, after the demolition of the forts previously ordered by the Government. General Roberts will leave for the south within a week at the latest.

WARLIKE PREPARATIONS BY GREECE.

ATHENS, AUG. 5.

In view of the addition constantly being made by the Turkish Government to the forces massed at Thessaly and Epirus, the Greek Government, which at the solicitation of England and France has hitherto abstained from making any further military preparations, has now issued orders calling out all the available reserve forces, which will at once be placed on a war footing. The difficulties of an amicable settlement in regard to the frontier question increase from day to day.

MR. GLADSTONE'S CONDITION.

LONDON, AUG. 5.

A further bulletin has been issued this morning relative to the Premier's condition.

The favourable symptoms continue, and Mr. Gladstone is steadily progressing towards convalescence, though, of course, as yet the improvement is slow.

THE REJECTION OF THE IRISH TENANCY BILL.

LONDON, AUG. 5.

Public attention continues to be occupied with the rejection of the Irish Tenancy Bill by the House of Lords, and fears are entertained that the action of the Upper House will have the effect of increasing the discontent which prevails in Ireland. The Right Hon. W. E. Forster, Chief Secretary for Ireland, in a speech on the subject, delivered this afternoon, deplored the action of the House of Lords in rejecting the measure, and expressed his apprehension of the results which might follow such action. He, however, trusted that, with a plentiful harvest, there was now a fair prospect of help being available to alleviate the troubles of Irish tenants. Disorders, he feared, might before long ensue; and he earnestly appealed to the Irish members, and all who had influence in Ireland, to assist the Government in its efforts to maintain law and order in the country.

AUG. 6.

The *Times* to-day states, in a paragraph, that great fears are entertained that disorders will soon arise in Ireland, owing to the discontent of the tenant farmers, and the agitation which prevails there. In view of the present state of Ireland, the *Times* adds that it has reason to believe that it is the intention of the Government to dispatch, without delay, further troops to Ireland, in order to be prepared for any eventuality.

THE AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS.

LONDON, AUG. 5.

The Australian Eleven commenced a match to-day, near Leeds, against Eighteen of the Hunslet Club. The Home team went first to the wickets, but did not remain long, the innings closing at midday for a total of 75. The Australians followed, and made a briefer stay at the wickets, scoring only 65. The weather was showery throughout, and several times interrupted the play, besides rendering the wickets unsuitable for long scoring. The bowling of the Hunslet Eighteen was dead on the wicket, and their fielding was generally good.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAILS.

GALLE, AUG. 5.

The R. M. S. Siam, which left Melbourne on the 9th July, arrived here on the 29th.

AUG. 6.

The R. M. Steamer with the outward Australian mails, via Brindisi, dated July 16th, left yesterday for Australia.

THE STEAMSHIP SOMERSETSHIRE.

LONDON, AUG. 5.

The steamship Somersetshire sailed from Plymouth, to-day, for Sydney.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

NEWCASTLE.

FRIDAY.

An influential deputation waited upon Mr. Alexander Brown, J.P., this morning, and requested him to stand for the city. It is understood, however, that Mr. Brown does not intend to offer himself as a candidate, his business engagements preventing him.

The export of coal for the week, exclusive of the A. A. Company's return, is 24,016 tons; and the Customs' revenue, £1252 1s. 1d.

A young man, giving the name of Thornton, and who is supposed to belong to Sydney, was arrested this afternoon, on a charge of forging a cheque for £10 and an order drawn on Mr. John Reid, shipping agent, of Newcastle.

TENTERFIELD.

FRIDAY.

The wool shed at Tenterfield station was burnt down last night, and is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. Fortunately it is partly insured. Mr. Walker, the owner, was absent in town at the time.

CENTRAL KEMPSEY.

FRIDAY.

Mr. William Campbell, who met with the buggy accident on Tuesday last, has since died. The verdict of the jury at the inquest was that his death resulted from concussion of the brain, caused by injuries received accidentally. His funeral took place to-day, and was largely attended.

The westerly winds have caused West Kempsey and Kempsey to be completely enveloped in dust. Rain is much wanted, especially for the grass.

GRAFTON.

FRIDAY.

Mr. J. H. Munro disposed of, yesterday, Hawthorne's imported blood stallion, Warlike—the sire of Osman, Yately, and other winners at the late meeting—at the price of 500 guineas, Oliver Jones, of Coraki, Richmond River, being the purchaser.

The town is full of visitors, and the Church of England bazaar is proving very successful.

Bush fires in various parts of the district have caused interruption to three telegraph lines. Line repairers were at once sent out.

Owing to the severe winter and dry weather in some parts of the district, the crops of cane, maize, &c., present a pitiable sight; there is scarcely a green blade to be seen for miles.

During nine days ending 4th instant 7400 bags of sugar, 4800 bags of maize, and 1700 bags of tin ore and ingots of tin, besides a large quantity of other produce, were exported from this district.

The weather is splendid, but rain is now needed.

BATHURST.

FRIDAY.

At a committee meeting of the Bathurst Hospital, held yesterday, it was decided to publicly open the new Bathurst Hospital on the 9th November, being a public holiday, and that his Excellency the Governor be invited to perform the opening ceremony. The building will be completed, as far as the contract is concerned, in about a fortnight; the fittings and furniture will then have to be provided.

Thomas Kimp, a man who had been drinking heavily for some days previously, attempted to commit suicide at Blayney, on Thursday, by cutting his throat. Medical attendance was procured, and the wound sewn up, and he was then brought before the local Bench, and committed to take his trial at the Orange Court of Quarter Sessions. Last evening he was brought into Bathurst and lodged in gaol, where he remains for medical treatment.

An inquest was held before the Bathurst Coroner on Thursday on the body of a Chinaman named Ah Nann, who was shot by a countryman at Brown's Creek. The inquiry took place at the house of Song Jug, and the prisoner in charge is named Kong Yee, whose case was watched by Mr. Thompson, solicitor, of Bathurst. The evidence showed that on Sunday deceased went to prisoner's hut, where a Chinese feast had been going on, in the presence of several Chinamen. Deceased asked prisoner for the pound he owed him, and prisoner denied owing the money; a squabble ensued, and deceased made a rush at prisoner, who retreated to his bedroom, followed by deceased. The latter pulled out the other Chinamen, and, exclaiming that he wished to break his (prisoner's) ribs, made a rush towards the bedroom. Prisoner then raised a gun and fired, wounding deceased in the abdomen. The injured man was taken to a hut and attended by Dr. O'Brien, of Rockley, who found the case hopeless. Death occurred on Monday, and prisoner, who had been arrested for shooting with intent, was then charged with murder. The jury brought in a verdict of manslaughter, on which charge prisoner was committed for trial by the Coroner (Mr. Stanger) to the next Circuit Court, to be held at Bathurst in October. When arrested the prisoner had upon him the sum of £105.

COOTAMUNDRA.

FRIDAY.

Great dissatisfaction is expressed at the remissness of the Government in not taking steps to provide for water storage. Petitions from the residents, as well as representations from the Warden, are taken no notice of. There are fully 105 people on the ground, and not a fortnight's supply in the tanks. The season for thunderstorms is now setting in, and there is yet not a single tank on the field to hold a month's supply for the ever-increasing population. The field is now sufficiently established to entitle the residents to telegraphic communication. Great inconvenience arises to business people to be dependent upon the coaches. The establishment of a hospital is much needed, as much illness may be anticipated, owing to bad water. A local police court is much wanted, if only to issue licenses. Under the present circumstances auctioneers and publicans have to travel sixty miles to Young. A great number of cases were heard to-day in the Warden's Court, the majority being jumping cases of town allotments. The survey of the upper and lower township is badly wanted, as the present insecurity of tenure prevents people from erecting permanent improvements.

NOWRA.

FRIDAY.

The fourth span of the Shoalhaven Bridge was swung this afternoon, making a total of 498 feet of the superstructure now on piers. The time occupied in erecting this span was five and a half days for eleven men.

The Pinnacle Company, of Yalwal, has purchased a 20-horse power engine, which is being landed at Numba, to drive their 25-stamper battery. This makes the sixth battery for Yalwal Gold-fields.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, FRIDAY.

A Gladstone telegram states that several tin-mining selections have been taken up freely on the creek on the eastern side of Mount Warroo. The prospects are good. Stream tin giving 70 per cent. has been obtained.

Over 1500 acres of tin selections have been taken up during the last two days on the waters running from Mount Warroo ranges, eighty miles from Gladstone. The assay gives 78 per cent. of tin.

Johnny Campbell, the aboriginal bushranger, will be executed on the 16th instant, for rape.

TOWNSVILLE, FRIDAY.

The amount of duty paid into the Customs to-day was £2688.

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY.

In the case of White v. Hoddle, the case for the defendant was entered upon to-day. Mrs. Hoddle, her mother, and father, were examined, and it appeared that besides the property in dispute other land has been settled on the present Mrs. Hoddle, to the value of £50,000, and that there are deposits in the banks and Government debentures held by Hoddle, making up a total of £100,000.

Writs for the election of the Ministry were issued to-day. The date of nomination is the 12th; and polling, 18th.

The National Insurance Company have declared a dividend of 8 per cent., with 6d. per share bonus.

The early Ballarat train this morning while standing at the Lara Station was run into by an unattached engine, which was proceeding to Williamstown. No damage was done, beyond a shock to two of the lady passengers. The weather was foggy at the time of the accident.

The weather was very foggy early this morning, and the steamer Rodondo on coming up the Bay grounded on the back beach at Williamstown. She was not got off for some hours, and the passengers were all transhipped, and brought up to Queen's Wharf. The vessel has not received any damage, as the water was smooth.

The schooner Rachel Cohen ran on the beach in West Channel.

A destructive fire occurred at Warrnambool this morning early. The premises of William M'Kinney, storekeeper, were burnt down, together with the greater part of the Princess Royal Hotel, adjoining, the inmates having little time to escape. M'Kinney's stock was insured for £2960 in the Australia Felix, Victoria, Queen, and Standard offices. The buildings are insured for £1750, principally in the Australian Alliance Company.

A woman named Radcliffe died at Warrnambool through taking an overdose of laudanum, given her by her husband in mistake. As Radcliffe had on several occasions threatened his wife's life, he has been arrested.

The Government have intimated their intention, through the banks, of floating the remainder of the five millions loan, amounting to two millions, in the London market.

There will be a good fight in Fitzroy against Mr. Vale.

The unemployed are again getting troublesome, but the Government have no further employment to give.

Mr. W. J. Clarke's ball, last night, was a brilliant affair, and nearly 800 persons were present.

The Chief Harbour Master has forwarded a report to the Commissioner of Customs, suggesting the deepening of Simonds' Channel, which would cause a saving of nine miles, and afford an anchorage for vessels coming up the bay.

At a meeting of the Intercolonial Regatta committee, it was stated that Sir Thomas Elder and Mr. Bucknall, of Adelaide, and Mr. W. J. Trickett, of Sydney, would send their yachts to compete.

Mr. J. B. Were has been appointed consul-agent for Belgium.

The case of Captain Thomson, of the Trochague, was brought under the notice of the Commissioner of Customs to-day, who said the second charge was trumped up, and would probably be abandoned.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, FRIDAY.

The quantity of wheat exported from the colony during the seven months ending July was 5,598,000 bushels.

Mr. Quin, late member for Port Adelaide in the Assembly, was to-day presented with £150 by his friends.

The Port Adelaide Working Men's Association held their annual picnic and dinner to-day.

Military sports were held on the Oval to-day, and proved very successful. There was a large attendance, although the weather was unsettled.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

RICHMOND RIVER RACES.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CASINO, FRIDAY.

The result of to-day's racing was as follows:—

CLUB HANDICAP.

Crusader	1
Osman	2
Yately	3

This was a grand race, and there were seven starters.

PUBLICANS' PURSE.

War Eagle	1
Bertha	2
Risk	3

HACK RACE.

Bertha	1
Steelribs	2
Guardsman	3

CONSOLATION STAKES.

Risk	1
Graceful	2
Marquis	3

FORCED HANDICAP.

Yately	1
Crusader	2
Risk	3

Osman did not start. The racing throughout was splendid, and every race was closely contested.

THE TURF.

There has not been any wagering of importance during the week upon coming events, and up to the present, a decided favourite has not been made for the Hawkesbury Grand Handicap, for which 100s to 8 are forthcoming on the field. Kamilaroi and Geraldine are the only two inquired about for the Guineas; and the last named is a better favourite than anything for the A. J. C. Derby. For the Metropolitan Stakes, Strathearn and Sweetmeat rule as favourites at 100s to 10, and fancy prices can be obtained about the others. According to the accounts received from Maitland, Black Swan would appear to be in great form, and she will leave for Sydney on Tuesday next, with the others of Mr. Mayo's string. Good reports continue to be received from Goulburn concerning Lord Burghley and his brother Lord Lisgar. Avernus, Geraldine, Grand Flaneur, Silver Fox, and another of Mr. W. Long's left for Clarendon on Thursday; and it is rumoured that Cambalio, Wellington, and Adventurer will take their departure from Melbourne, for Sydney, in the course of a few days.

The following weights for the Tattersall meeting, to take place at Randwick, on this day week, were declared yesterday:—

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14.

THE HURDLE RACE; 2½ miles.

	st	lb		st	lb
Whitelight (late Getback)	10	7	The Hatter	9	3
Bedouin	9	9	Worridgee	9	0
Bullocky	9	7	Scottish Chief	9	0
Limerick	9	7	Tribulation	9	0
Bolivar	9	7	Green Bar	9	0
Pearl Diver	9	5	Lord of the Forest	9	0
Banker	9	5			

THE TRAMWAY HANDICAP; ¾ mile.

	st	lb		st	lb
Cap-a-pie	10	0	Monarque	7	4
Auckland	8	11	Creswick	7	2
Thorntopper	8	9	Prairie Bird	6	12
Soothsayer	8	9	Mermaid	6	12
Terrara	8	7	Julian	6	10
Master Avenel	8	4	St. Heliers' dam colt	6	10
Otira	8	2	Vauxhall	6	10
Lorton	8	2	Admiral	6	8
Stella	8	0	Lord Lisgar	6	8
Orator	7	12	Koreelah	6	6
Rosinante	7	10	Bruno	6	4
Lightning	7	8	Mistletoe	6	0
Blantyre	7	6	Stanley	6	0
Mangalalla Squatter	7	4	Deer	6	0

TATTERSALL'S AUGUST HANDICAP; 1¼ mile.

	st	lb		st	lb
Sweetmeat	9	4	Moonbeam	7	2
Strathearn	8	9	Retrospect	7	0
Lord Burghley	8	7	Lady Struan	7	0
Black Eagle	8	4	Stella	6	12
Auckland	8	2	St. John	6	12
Thorntopper	8	0	Lightning	6	10
Soothsayer	8	0	Fragments	6	7
Ravenswood	7	12	Blantyre	6	7
Hopeful	7	12	Oakhill	6	4
Othello	7	10	Nancy Lee	6	0
Terrara	7	10	Fisherman	6	0
Chesterfield	7	8	Prairie Bird	5	10
Master Avenel	7	6	Julian	5	7
Rosinante	7	4	Coxcomb	5	7
Lorton	7	4	Annandale	5	7

FOOTBALL.

FOOTBALL UNDER THE NEW SOUTH WALES FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION RULES.—A meeting in favour of forming a Football Club under the rules of the New South Wales Football Association was held, last evening, at Weber's Post Office Hotel, York-street, Mr. H. C. Rogers (vice-president of the Association) in the chair. There was a fair attendance. Mr. Bowen, who convened the meeting, explained that his object was to form a club now, so that the members might be able to get into harness for the next season. He thought that one of the objects which the N. S. W. Football Association had in view was the inauguration of intercolonial matches with Victoria, so successfully started by the Waratah Club some two seasons ago. He had receive numerous promises of support, and believed that a club might be formed in the metropolis alone which would be sufficiently strong to send a team to Melbourne next year, to play against Melbourne, Carlton, and Geelong. (Hear, hear.) He had no doubt, judging from the success which attended the visit of the Waratah Club to Melbourne last season, that a representative team might visit Melbourne next year which would do honour not only to themselves but to this colony. He might mention that he was one of the promoters of the Carlton Club in Melbourne, which at its first meeting numbered only eight members, two of whom afterwards seceded; and now it numbered 350 members, and had a balance of about £500. Mr. J. Wilkinson proposed, "That the gentlemen present form themselves into a club, to be called the Sydney Club, under the rules of the New South Wales Football Association." He pointed out the importance of encouraging intercolonial matches, and said that the gentlemen who were present that evening would, he thought, in years to come look back with pride to this meeting, and make it a proud boast that they were one of the first to initiate these matches under New South Wales Association rules. (Applause.) The motion was seconded by Mr. Marshall, and carried unanimously. Mr. Wilkinson was elected secretary of the club, and the following gentlemen were appointed members of committee, viz., Messrs. G. Bowen, W. Long, C. Fairfax, C. Butcher, L. Ballhausen, E. L. Franks, R. W. Comyns, E. Hollingdale, and P. P. Mudge. The meeting then adjourned until Friday next for the election of president and vice-presidents, and we are requested to state that any gentlemen desirous of joining the club may address the secretary, care of Hogan and Lawrence, solicitors, Castlereagh-street.

The Waratah and Redfern first fifteens will meet this afternoon on Moore Park; and the first fifteens of University and King's School will try conclusions at Parramatta. A scratch match, under the rules of the New South Wales Football Association, will also take place on Moore Park, and the newly-formed Balmain Club are expected to take part.

The secretary of the Redferns writes to the effect that their match against Balmain, last Saturday, could not be considered a win for the latter, inasmuch as the Redferns had scored a touch down, which Balmain appealed against, and was being decided when "time" was called.

William Shaw, speaking at the Home Rule Conference at Dublin, said that if Parnell's policy on the land question was identical with the views he enunciated in America and Ireland, he (Shaw) would not remain as a member of the party.

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OUR AMERICAN LETTER.

NEW YORK, June 25.

The national conventions of the two great parties have now been held, and having each nominated a candidate, the American people have four months in which to make up their minds whether Garfield or Hancock shall be our next President. So far as the Republican convention at Chicago was concerned, the choice of a standard-bearer was of infinitely less importance than the manner in which he was chosen. For a whole week there was a fierce struggle between the methods of the machine politicians and a strong popular sentiment, and to the relief of all men who wish well to their country, the politicians were at last vanquished. In my last letter I narrated the persistent and unscrupulous efforts which had been made to pack the convention in favour of General Grant, and by securing for him a "third term" as President, to sweep away the unwritten law which limits the term of an administration to eight years. Had that plot been successful, the one great obstacle in the way of a change in the form of our institutions would have been removed, and with a strong man like Grant wielding, possibly for life, the enormous and ever-growing patronage of the White House, we should have become practically an empire, headed by a perpetual dictator; although still in name a republic. The masses of the people, regardless of party, felt the danger, and when the news came at length that the "Imperialists" were defeated, there was a general chorus of approval. The Grant men, however, fought desperately to the last. Before the convention met, they were obliged to abandon the attempt to enforce the unit rule—that is, a rule compelling all the delegates of a state to vote as a whole in favour of the man obtaining a bare majority of the delegation—and this cut down their strength from about 415 to 305. It required 379 votes to secure a nomination. Thirty-eight ballots were taken, and from first to last the Grant vote was never less than 303, and never more than 313. This illustrates the remarkable adroitness with which discipline was maintained amongst them. Mr. Blaine had an average strength of 280, and Mr. Sherman of nearly 100. So long as the friends of Blaine and Sherman stood firm, therefore, the Grant men were unable to succeed, but as neither Blaine nor Sherman would give way, one to the other, there was for a day and a-half an absolute deadlock. But at last there were symptoms of wavering among the anti-Grant men, and it became clear that unless a new candidate were selected, and upon whom the opposition to the "third-termers" could unite, the obstinate persistence of the "Imperialists" would win the day. In less than half an hour, such a man was discovered in General Garfield, who had acted as the manager for Mr. Sherman, and who, on several critical occasions in the history of the convention had shown remarkable aptitude for saying the right thing in the right way. Scarcely had three or four States declared in his favour than there was what is called in American politics a "stampede"—a blind, unreasoning rush—to his support. Even then, however, the Grant phalanx stuck to their colours, and on the last ballot they received just one more vote than on the first. Their leader, Senator Conkling, did his best to accept the result with a good grace, and moved a resolution to make the vote unanimous, which was, of course, agreed to. On the other side an effort towards a reconciliation was made by giving the second place on the ticket to General Arthur, a New Yorker, a favourite of Conkling, and an enthusiastic supporter of Grant.

Such, in brief, is the story of the Chicago Convention. Few, however, will forget the breathless excitement with which its proceedings were watched by the country at large. Every Republican politician who had money to pay his fare went to the scene of conflict to hold up the hands of his delegate. Some notion of the crowd assembled may be gathered from the fact that the five principal hotels received during the week no less than 400,000 dollars. This was, of course, but a small part of the money spent in the other smaller hotels and boarding-houses. Every bed in the city was occupied by from one to four persons, and the barbers readily commanded a dollar a night for those luxurious easy chairs which rob shaving in America of half its discomforts. A room to one's self, with board, at a first-class hotel, cost thirteen dollars and a-half per diem. Tickets to the galleries of the Convention were issued only to specially distinguished visitors, and yet the enormous size of the building gave accommodation for several thousand spectators. An army of six hundred newspaper correspondents were provided with chairs and desks. On several occasions the Convention gave itself over to paroxysms of frantic enthusiasm which recalled some of the scenes in the French Constituent Assembly. Delegates, audience, journalists, were alike carried away by the madness of the hour. The most remarkable of these demonstrations broke out in the interest of Mr. Blaine. In response to a call for cheers for that gentleman, everybody in the hall, except the Grant men, rose to their feet and waved handkerchiefs and shawls, and stamped and hurrahed, while the Blaine delegates formed in line with banners and marched up and down the aisle. This scene lasted half an hour. Many of the men had tears in their eyes, and the most impassive of spectators felt, reluctantly perhaps, the thrill of the contagious magnetism of the mob. Among others, by the way, who witnessed this strange outbreak, were Prince Leopold and the Princess Louise, who made a special visit to Chicago to look on at the convention. Not to be outdone, the Grant men organized a similar demonstration the following day in behalf of the "hero of Appomattox," but though equally noisy, it lacked, as an act of hero-worship, the spontaneity and fervour of its model. When the nomination was at last made, there was yet a third grand outburst, but it was neither so long nor so loud as either of the others, for most of the delegates had been up all the night previous, canvassing, or being canvassed, and were in a state of nervous exhaustion. Even the nominee himself was very pale, and his whole frame shook with excitement, as in a husky, trembling voice he made the usual set speech of thanks; while Senator Conkling, crushed by a defeat which is specially disastrous to the political fortunes of himself and his adherents, looked like a man bereft of his last dollar, and his last hope.

The Democratic Convention, while neither so well attended nor delivered over to such bursts of enthusiasm, has displayed a wisdom which has astonished friends and enemies alike. The Republicans calculated upon the nomination of Tilden as a foregone conclusion. The policy of the Democratic Congress has been remarkable for its utter blindness to the real temper of the people. Only one issue has really been pressed forward by it—the fraud alleged to have been perpetrated by Mr. Hayes and his friends to get possession of the White House. It was, therefore, not unnatural to suppose that since this issue was so constantly kept before the people that it would be selected as the one question to be decided in the coming campaign. And how could that issue be presented forcibly without renominating the victim of the alleged fraud? But at the last moment Mr. Tilden, warned by his physicians that the excitement of such a contest would perhaps be fatal, and would certainly shorten his scanty lease of life, made up his mind, reluctantly, to abandon the one dream of his life, and sink for ever into the obscurity of private life. But for this decision of Mr. Tilden, there is little doubt that he would have secured the nomination—and that he would have been defeated. Left without a leader, the democracy have stumbled by accident upon a man who will draw to their support every vote they possess naturally, and in addition many votes of Conservative-Republicans. Mr. Tilden's letter of withdrawal only appeared the day before the Convention met, and left no time for the leading politicians to form a combination in favour of a politicians' candidate.

The two men now in nomination are diametrically opposed in character and in antecedents. General Hancock has been a soldier all his life, and comes from a historic family, his great grandfather having been one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. General Garfield has been a school teacher, an occasional preacher, and a politician, and he comes from the humblest walks of life. General Hancock's past is unstained by the faintest breath of reproach; General Garfield, on the contrary, was censured by a committee of investigation in his own party, for having taken a bribe, and was only allowed to escape the fate of Schuyler Colfax because the amount involved, 329 dollars, was considered to have been too small a temptation for him to have wilfully succumbed to. The fact was admitted, however, that the money did really pass into his pocket, and his explanation that it was a simple loan was extremely weak. Yet it is by no means certain, in spite of his personal superiority, that Hancock will win. Four years ago, he would have succeeded beyond a doubt, but the last two Congresses have aroused in the Northern mind a profound distrust of Southern men, and of the party they control. General Garfield represents the war spirit of the "stalwart" section of the Republican party, and, in spite of the flaws in his record, he has the great advantage of having sprung from the masses, and of having worked with his own hands for his daily bread as a farmer and as a hand on a canal boat. Hancock, on the other hand, has ever since the wars, inclined strongly to a policy of reconciliation: and he has the great disadvantage with the masses of having been a "born aristocrat." One thing is certain—that the battle will be desperately waged, and that for several months yet no forecast of the result can be confidently given.

We have had three steamship collisions—one of them local, another in the coast trade, and the last between two of the Atlantic fleet. Only the second was attended with loss of life. It occurred between two of those mammoth floating hotels employed in carrying passengers and freight to and from Boston. Every Australian who has been in America will remember the class of craft referred to, with two storys of staterooms rising high out of the water, enclosing a grand saloon gay with gilding and mirrors. They afford the pleasantest and most unsafe mode of travel yet discovered. Just at present, competition has brought down the fare to a dollar for the trip of 250 miles; and the boats before the accident were perilously overcrowded. Every stateroom and berth would be full; and, to accomodate the surplus passengers, mattresses and blankets were spread upon the floor of the saloon. Two of these vessels, thus freighted, crashed into each other at a speed of eighteen miles an hour in the midst of a thick fog at the dead of night. One of them backed away into the darkness, and the other at once began to sink. The shock had put out the gas and shaken the coals of the furnace into the hold. In five minutes the ship was wrapped in flames. The captain and officers and crew were utterly demoralized. One of the boats was swamped—of course—in launching it into still water, and the other boats were found to be unprovided with plugs or oars. Such of the passengers as were lucky enough to get into them cut plugs from the cork life-preservers, and then paddled themselves away from the burning ship with stray drift from the wreck. The great majority of the 100 souls on board were, however, forced to take to the water with nothing but a life-preserver or a stateroom door to support them. Many of the life-preservers were found to be useless, and there were not enough to go round. Men, crazy with terror, snatched them from the hands of women, and then, in their turn, were knocked down and despoiled of them by yet sturdier ruffians. Three men went mad, and blew out their brains rather than perish in the water. Some of those who jumped from the ship were carried by the current against the burning wreck, and were roasted to death. And yet, but for the fire, the loss of life would have been far greater. The blaze served as a beacon for the other colliding vessel to send her boats to when the captain had satisfied himself that she was still seaworthy, and it also attracted to the rescue yet another steamship luckily passing near by. Thanks to the flames, the poor drowning wretches were all picked up with the exception of about fifty, many of whom were women and children. Not one of the officers or crew was lost. There will be in due course the usual investigation, and the usual report of censure, and then everything will go on as before. In striking contrast with the incompetence and cowardice displayed in this terrible Narragansett disaster are the coolness and heroism of all concerned in the collision, 300 miles out at sea, between the Spain, of the National, and the Anchoria of the Anchor line. In this case, as in the other, the fog was at the bottom of the mischief. In spite of regular signals, the Spain ran into the Anchoria, opening wide breaches in two of the water-tight compartments, and crashing away her own stem. In a moment, the officers of both ships took the necessary precautions for preventing a panic, going as far on the Anchoria as to use a knife and a club on some of the obstreperous steerage passengers who wished to get into the boats before the women. It was soon ascertained that the Spain was the more seaworthy vessel, and all the passengers of the Anchoria were transferred to her in good order. Luckily the water was calm, and both ships came safely into New York harbour without having lost a single life. The third collision occurred between two excursion boats just as they had got through work for the day, and no damage was done beyond the sinking of the smaller one. The other had, however, only just disembarked a thousand school-children belonging to Mr. Beecher's church, and it is suggested that the same carelessness which caused a collision in broad daylight might have resulted in very much more serious consequences.

The wild speculation that came with our boom of prosperity has caused a number of failures. While solid business remains very good, the "cliques" and "pools" that organized for the purpose of putting up prices, have met with disaster, and every day or two the papers give the name of another bankruptcy. Everything, however, outside of politics, is favourable to a continuance of the present good times, and if the election only passes off peaceably, there will be extraordinary prosperity next fall and winter. The crops will not be so good as last year, but the area cultivated is much greater, so that there will be probably an increase in production.

For a month past, the national Government has been engaged in making the census, which by law must be taken every decade, for the purpose of reapportioning representation in the Lower House of Congress. All the gains, with the exception of Texas, will be in the North and West. At the best, however, a census can be only approximately correct, especially in such cities as New York, where the mass of the population live in huge tenement houses. Whatever can be done in the way of organization and system to secure accuracy has been brought to bear upon the task. Six hundred persons, for example, have been simultaneously employed in this city, each in a special district, for a fortnight. No man has been permitted to report more than 300 names a day, thus removing the temptation to excessive hurry. For each name, there is a payment of two cents, which is an incentive to completeness; and after all the lists are in, they are exposed for public inspection at the City Hall. As the information collected includes age, nationality, name of father and mother, and many other particulars, the record may in some cases minister to the curiosity of inquisitive neighbours; but this is unavoidable. The total cost to the country will be between two and three millions of dollars, probably more. There is a penalty of 100 dollars for either refusing to give information or for giving false answers.

Congress has adjourned, and so has our next most important political body—the Legislature of New York. As happens almost invariably in the year preceding a Presidential campaign, no measure of any interest has been passed by either—each party being anxious to avoid new issues, and to remain *in statu quo*. There was a feeble contest between the President and Congress about the old issue of the election marshals, which resulted in Congress adjourning without making any provision for their pay. Plenty of men will be found to serve, however, on the mere hope that the Republicans will be in power, either in this or the next Congress, and that they will then be paid. The New York Legislature, after many tedious debates, practically shelved the important matter of establishing a railroad commission until next year. Such a step would have aroused the hostility of the railroad magnates; and in a State so close as New York there are enough railroad *employés* directly under the control of the corporations to turn the scale.

Only the Madison Avenue Theatre remains open, among the houses of the first rank. It is still playing "Hazel Kirke," which has reached its 150th representation. The success of the piece, however, is largely due to the strength of the company, and the delightful coolness and perfect ventilation of this most charming of theatres. Next season, the famous Sara Bernhardt is to star through the country, under the management of Mr. Abbey. Mr. Barnum is organizing a stock company, with 3,000,000 dollars capital, to take the old Madison Square garden, and convert it into a great show, with a circus, theatre, aquarium, museum, menagerie, and art gallery, all in one. Mr. Vanderbilt has taken 750,000 dollars of stock, and the project will probably succeed. There will be no less than 170 companies out "on the road" next season. Emmet, or "Fritz," who was once out in Australia, has lost his reason, and has been taken to a madhouse. The great amusement of New Yorkers just now is to go to Coney Island, which is more popular this season than ever. There are three first-class promenade concerts along the beach twice a day, and all the hotels are full—even the Manhattan, which has raised its price to 3 dollars a day for a room alone.

LUCKNOW.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

LUCKNOW, Aug. 4.

The crushing at the Reform Company's will be completed in about a week. Several shipments of ore await clearing and casking. A shipment of bulk stone will be forwarded at once. The Golden Point gold-mining property has passed into hands of new owners, and from reliable information I am justified in saying will shortly be at work. The success which has attended the efforts of the Reform Gold-mining Company under its present *régime* being no doubt a very great incentive to the new speculators.

Perhaps, after this, we may reasonably hope to hear that there is energy enough in the district to start the oldest, and at one time the richest claim, in the field; and why it should not yield rich treasures again there is no reason to show. Many who believe in the old claim say payable gold is to be had in the first shift. Be this as it may, its former richness is universally admitted; and the fact of a break, or blank, occurring in the vein should not interfere with its working. The Old Uncle Tom Company had a blank which they persistently followed for many months, without any apparent indication of the vein again making. They eventually got tired, and left off work. The Reform Company saw that it was a good chance to step in after so much work had been done, and follow on the trail. This they did, and in a few weeks indications became more favourable, until it became evident that the vein was again making. A few more shifts put them on the ore, a few tons of which placed the company in the very pleasant position of being able to discharge the whole of their liabilities, declare two dividends (which gave them more than the usual rate for their money), have three shipments on the water, and a thousand pounds worth of material on hand, mine, plant, and property clear of debt, and the vein looking good enough for anything, being some 25 to 30 feet long with a breadth (saving material) from 6 to 8 feet. Some of the last stone out was as good if not superior to the former; and there is no reason why the blank in the Phoenix, if followed carefully, should not open up quite as well, if not better.

The Who'd-have-thought-it, or I. A. Flat, are making preparations for commencing work in earnest. They are now busy erecting a good horse-pump. You may look for good news shortly from the Flat, or I am much deceived.

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following notifications appear in yesterday's *Government Gazette*:—

TOLLS.—Brook's Ferry, on the M'Donald River, seven miles from St. Albans, is declared a place where tolls may be demanded after the 10th August.

DISEASES IN SHEEP.—A proclamation suspends for a further period of six months, the prohibition against the importation of fat sheep from Queensland; another proclamation suspends for a further period of twelve months from 20th July, the provision of the Diseases in Sheep Act, in as far as they relate to the dressing of coastwise and coast district sheep, and declare that for the said period coastwise sheep may be taken inland, and coast district sheep may be taken out of the coast scab district without such dressings, upon their owner obtaining from the inspector a certificate that such sheep are free from disease and a permit for their removal.

NOMINAL DEFENDANT.—The Hon. John Lackey is appointed nominal defendant in the matter of a petition presented on the part of Mr. Matthew Francis Smith, as to a certain claim or demand which he deems himself to have against the Government: and the Hon. James Hoskins, Secretary for Lands, to be nominal defendant in the matter of a petition presented on the part of Mr. Frederick Somers as to a certain claim or demand which he deems himself to have against the Government; and also, nominal defendant in the matter of a petition presented on the part of Messrs. Robert and Alexander Landale as to a certain claim or demand which they deem themselves to have against the Government.

APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. Joseph Nicholas Pyne, to be Junior Draftsman in the Land Titles Branch of the Registrar General's Department, vice Baylis, resigned. Mr. H. Hely Hutchinson, to be Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions at Menindie, to take effect from the 1st instant. Senior-constable Alexander Johnston, to be Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions at Wee Waa, vice Agassiz. Constable Henry Headly, to be Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions at Mogil Mogil, vice Gordon. Constable William R. Gordon, to be Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions at Pilliga, vice Johnston. Constable William Mayo, to be Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions at Gloucester, vice May. Mr. John Walker to be a Railway Station Master. Mr. John H. Daniells to be Assistant Engineer in the Roads Branch of the Public Works Department, vice Franklin, resigned,—to date from the 1st June, 1878.

POLICE MAGISTRATE.—Mr. Ernest A. L. Sharpe, Police Magistrate at Temora, to be a Warden of the Lachlan Mining District. Messrs. Arthur Walpole Francis and Alfred Gale to be Clerks in the Post Office Department.

POST OFFICE.—On and from the 9th instant, the Post Offices at present known as "Temora" and "East Temora," will bear the designations of "West Temora" and "Temora" respectively.

NEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—It is proposed to establish new Public schools at—Buckarumbi, Booligal, Cooyal Diggings, near Cooyal, Cumnock, near Molong, Cundumbul, near Molong, Euston, Farnham, near Ironbarks, Junee South, Larras Lake (near Molong), Manilla Upper, Mullamuddy, near Mudgee, Moira, near Moama, Mungshorn, near Mudgee, Nerriga, Newrea, near Black Rock, Wellington, Ournie, Sally's Flat, near Hill End, Tara, near Ilford, Timbribungie, Valla near Nambucca, Wollonan, near Wellington, Nymboida, near Grafton. Applications have also been received for the establishment of Public schools at—Bondi, near Waverley, Gulgamree, near Cudgegong, Coota, near Cowra, Morungulan, near Red Hill.

POLICE MAGISTRATE.—Mr. Alfred Allatson Turner, Police Magistrate at Wollongong, is empowered to exercise at the following town or place, that is to say, at Wollongong, within the police district of Wollongong, the special powers authorized to be given to police magistrates by the 2nd clause of the Clerks of Petty Sessions Act of 1857, for a further period of two years from the 19th ultimo.

LICENSED SURVEYOR.—Mr. Robert Deighton, Queanbeyan, has been licensed as a Surveyor, under the 100th section of the Real Property Act, 26 Victoria, No. 9.

ACCEPTED TENDER.—The undermentioned Tender has been accepted by the Government: James Douglas—For Goods Warehouse, &c., Ironbarks.

THE MONARCHS OF THE SEA.—The City of Rome, the new steamer of the Inman line, now being built at Barrow-in-Furness, Lancashire, England, will be a marvel of marine architecture. The *New York Herald* says she will be the largest and finest merchant vessel in the world. She will be 2000 tons larger than the Arizona or the City of Berlin, her sister ship, and 800 tons larger than the new Cunarder now being constructed on the Clyde. She is to cost over 1,000,000 dollars, it is said, and will be as near perfection in the way of safety, speed, and comfort as it is possible for steamer companies and shipbuilders to attain. She will be completed in the spring of 1881, and is to be placed on the regular line between New York and Liverpool. The dimensions of the City of Rome will be:—Length of keel, 546 feet; length over all, 590 feet; breadth of beam, 52 feet; depth of hold, 38 feet 9 inches; depth from top of deck-houses to keel, 52 feet. Her measurement will be 8300 tons. The hull will be of the best iron, and will be built in the best manner, with eleven horizontal bulkheads and two longitudinal bulkheads through the engine and boiler rooms. The engines will be of 7500 horse-power, with six cylinders, three of which will be high pressure and three low pressure. It is promised that the new vessel will attain the great speed of eighteen and a quarter knots an hour. The saloon and state-rooms will be placed amidships, and will contain every facility for comfort and luxury. All the latest improvements are to be added, and the cabin will be splendidly furnished. The Cunard Company have laid the keel of a monster steamer at an establishment on the Clyde. Although not so large as the City of Rome, she will have engines of even greater power, and, it is claimed, will be the fastest passenger steamer in the world. The new vessel will be of 7500 tons burthen and 10,000 horse-power, according to a statement in the London *Times*, and will be exceeded in size only by the new City of Rome and Great Eastern. She will have an extra promenade deck, and will practically be a five-decker, being fitted up for 450 first-class and 600 steerage passengers, with accommodation for a crew of 200 officers and men. The hull will be built with a double bottom, on what is called the longitudinal and bracket system, with watertight compartments. It is said that in her construction steel is to be employed instead of iron. The new vessel is to be ready for sea next season, and before being placed on the line will have the most elaborate fittings for the comfort and luxury of the passengers. The name will probably be the Servia.

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—ITS UNEQUALLED EFFICACY IN CONSUMPTION AND WASTING DISEASES.—Dr. Hardwicke, Coroner for Central Middlesex, writes:—"I have great pleasure in adding my testimony to the already well-recognized virtues of Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil, having prescribed it many years, and being satisfied that it is a pure oil, very palatable, and more easily digested than the pale oils. It possesses medicinal properties which also render it more efficacious than other kinds of fatty oils. In the class of tubercular diseases, including consumption, so prevalent in our great centres of population, the use of Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil is attended with manifold advantages; and I know of no therapeutic agent which, in connection with judicious sanitary measures, is better calculated to stay the ravages of these great consuming plagues of the British Islands. The iodine, bromine, and phosphorus in Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Oil are undoubtedly efficacious, and being naturally combined with the most easily assimilated fatty substances, make it act both as food and medicine for many invalids who take it periodically with great benefit to health." Dr. de Jongh's Light-Brown Cod Liver Oil is sold only in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists and druggists. Sole consignees, Ansar, Harford, and Co., 77, Strand, London. Agents at Sydney, Elliott, Brothers.—ADVT.

OUR MELBOURNE LETTER.

MELBOURNE, Aug. 2.

The eagerness of Mr. Berry to get Mr. Service out of office has been equalled only by his anxiety, having got the opportunity, as to how to get himself in. He has been negotiating for several days past, and as yet, that is to say up to post-time of to-day, nothing has come of the negotiation. The game is not so easy a one as he thought it would be. The situation has become amusing to dispassionate lookers-on. To Mr. Berry's hangers-on it is not amusing, and they are beginning to grow impatient. So far as numbers are concerned Mr. Berry's range of choice is very large. He could form several Ministries, if the question were simply that of getting together a number of men who would serve under him. So long as there is place and pay, the true Berryite aspirant for Ministerial distinction will concede everything, and waive all conditions. Mr. Berry does not see his way to a working Administration out of such materials. Three years ago, when his experience was less, his majority a great deal more, and there was a surplus in the Treasury, he picked out his companions in no time. But even advanced Liberals have had enough of these men: they have had their day, and the Liberal cry is for moderate measures and moderate men. But the moderate men are all on the other side; and, besides, there is the O'Shanassy block. The religious difficulty is the present explanation of the crisis. Mr. Berry would ally himself with Sir John O'Shanassy, and Sir John O'Shanassy is quite ready to ally himself with Mr. Berry, but they will neither of them give way on the religious question. Sir John insists upon a rectification of the Education Act, and Mr. Berry knows that his following will not have the Education Act touched. Next, therefore, Mr. Berry goes to Mr. Wrixon, but Mr. Wrixon, rather limp-minded himself, desires to have with him persons who know their own minds two days together, and so he stipulates for nominating three or four of the Constitutional party; but Mr. Berry having, at the very least, twenty hungry office-seekers to placate, starts at the stipulation, and the transaction is immediately "off." He has thus only his own faithful friends to fall back upon, and he shudders at the alternative. No wonder, therefore, that he has made overtures to Mr. Service and Mr. Francis, and that the *Age* openly counselled such an alliance. But unless Mr. Service were content to forego all his self-respect, and the respect of those whose esteem he has so well merited, and which is so well worth the having, he will treat all such overtures with contempt. And so of Mr. Francis, who openly scorns the alliance. The difficulties of the situation, therefore, necessitated Mr. Berry applying for more time, and more time accordingly was granted to him. But there seem now to be only two courses open, either Mr. Berry must go back to his old friends who are waiting with such eagerness to be sent for, or he must throw up the cards, and Sir John O'Shanassy must take the lead. In which latter case a new series of negotiations will be entered upon. [As our readers have been informed, Mr. Berry has formed a Ministry from his own party.—ED.] It may be difficult to say how many votes in the Opposition Sir John could count upon, but it is not thought that these are very many. Sir John's only chance, therefore, would be an arrangement with Mr. Service, and considering that the Service Ministry owe their defeat mainly, if not solely, to the defection of Sir John O'Shanassy and his friends, it can hardly be expected that Mr. Service will receive Sir John's advances with much cordiality. Vulgarly speaking, the Liberal faction at this moment is in a hole, and there it deserves to stay. The country, in obedience to the most untruthful misrepresentations, declared adversely to the Service Administration, and the Berry faction, which declared itself ready at a moment's notice to put in a Berry Ministry which would settle the question of Constitutional reform off-hand, and put the finances in order by a few flourishes of Mr. Miram's pen, finds itself with its fingers in its mouth helplessly looking on at the mischief it contributed to bring about, and almost fatuously confessing its inability to bring back the State machine to a condition of usefulness.

Moreover, the Governor has very properly snubbed them, for their tumultuous hurry to oust the Ministry by anticipating the regular order of Parliamentary business. As a matter of course, he has been abused for it by the *Age*, in its well-understood fashion. But the Marquis of Normanby evidently knows his business, and will not be turned aside from his duty by abuse. In a very few plain words he told them how foolish they had been, so that when they went out from the Vice-regal presence their tails were a good deal between their legs.

MONDAY EVENING.

The unexpected having happened in the case of this letter, as it happens so often in mundane matters, it is possible, owing to the delay, to speak of the new Ministry, a list of which will have reached you, as a matter of course, long before this letter can arrive. Mr. Berry has been driven to his old friends; but, with a consistency which surprises nobody, he has thus gone back to them because he would not forego the distinction of being the head of the Ministry. Sir John, having once been Chief Secretary, desired to be Chief Secretary again, but he desired also that Mr. Berry, as Treasurer, should give up the title of Premier. This was too much to ask from a man the motor-spring of whose action is pure self-regard. Consequently a negotiation which, owing to the permission of the Archbishop and Bishops, seemed likely to grow into a practical solution of the difficulty, came to a precipitate end, and Mr. Berry, who evidently had his *pis aller* Ministry all ready, straightway announced it. One could imagine it had been selected with the foregone purpose of its falling very soon to pieces. With two such reckless persons in it as Mr. Vale and Mr. A. T. Clark, it has two elements which must cause confusion; for the latter of these has sworn by all his gods if once he got into office that he would worry and harass, by every means in his power, the mercantile classes, against whom he has an unforgivable grievance, in that they will not regard Williamstown as the chief port of Victoria. He is well matched in Mr. Vale, who has been given uncontrolled power over the Department of Law. It will be seen that Mr. Berry has taken back to himself two only of his old colleagues, namely Mr. Patterson and Mr. W. C. Smith, and that he has left out Sir Bryan O'Loghlen, Mr. Grant, Mr. Woods, and Mr. Longmore. With respect to the first of these, it is well understood that he is to go to England as Agent-General, so that he is placated; but of Messrs. Woods, Longmore, and Grant the placation is not so easy, more especially of Mr. Longmore. Out of this leaving out, therefore, difficulties may arise. And then there are the other difficulties caused by a total neglect of Mr. Gaunson, Mr. Mirams, and others who were confident of being chosen. As to Mr. Gaunson he stands by himself, and can do no more mischief than may be comprised in his own individual efforts; but Mr. Mirams has a following of persons who think him to be a great financier, and it is pretty certain that he will sulk in a corner. Thus, then, it will be seen that Mr. Berry begins his reign again with a somewhat dark horizon. He has offended Sir John, he must confront the firm phalanx of the Service section, and he has about him malcontents and waverers who are certain to be troublesome. The situation is critical, and there is already talk of another dissolution. For a time, therefore, the political question usurps all the attention. Consequently, the Greer tragedy occupies a subordinate place, and Ned Kelly stands in danger of being forgotten: minor tragedies, of which there are not a few, pass without much comment, and larrikinistic excesses evoke hardly an exclamation; people mention incidentally only that the *Age* has had to go down on its knees to apologise to Messrs. Swallow and Ariell, so as to avoid an action at law, and that probably the same journal will have to genuflect to Mr. M'Intyre, to induce him also to withdraw his action just commenced, damages £5000; the discussion as to the relative merits of Gothic and classic architecture has become only a little fight among those who are concerned in the business of building; the forthcoming dinner to Mr. Justice Higinbotham is dismissed with the observation that it is the proper thing to do; and the rumour that the decision in favour of M. Caron's cantata was unfair suggests only the observation that these musical people are always quarrelling. The question of the day is, what will be the next move on the political chess-board? To which question nobody seems quite prepared to reply. But it is said that the new Ministers are to be opposed—at least some of them, especially Mr. Vale—so that there is a prospect of more liveliness in this direction.

THE INDUSTRIES OF THE COLONY.

(BY OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

XV.

While the districts of the Hunter are noted for cattle-breeding, they are little or none the less well known for the breeding of horse stock, and at some of the breeding establishments there are to be found several of the best imported horses in the colony. Thoroughbred racehorses are represented every year by a large batch of yearlings at the Randwick sales, and more useful horse stock find a market in the districts where they are bred, in various other parts of the colony, and in Queensland. The breeding of horses is, in fact, carried on to a very considerable extent, and it is especially noticeable just now, as it is beginning to exhibit signs of a remarkable change. For a long time past the chief quality looked for in a horse has been pace, and everybody possessed of an animal showing a certain fleetness of foot has regarded it as a great prize. Not unnaturally, this led to increased efforts on the part of the established breeders, and to everyone else possessed of horses with a racing pedigree or name breeding what he could for himself; and now the effect is seen in an overstocked market, and in the greatly reduced prices which are obtained for yearlings at the annual sales. This condition of affairs, acting upon a conviction which has long been entertained by many people, has drawn attention to the desirableness of breeding fewer racehorses and a larger number of horses of more general use than those which can do nothing but run in a race; and in the Hunter districts breeders have commenced in earnest to produce what in New South Wales has long been wanted—a good class of carriage horses and weight-carrying hackneys. Nothing is more rarely seen in our streets than animals of this description, and it is only the strong inclination which has existed for horses possessed of speed that has hitherto prevented breeders from devoting proper attention to this subject. Now that the racehorse mania has to some extent decreased, breeders are recognizing the advantages which are likely to result from a change in their system of operations, and recently several first-class coaching stallions have been imported. These have not yet been long enough here to fully justify the expectations entertained with regard to them, but there is no doubt that they will bring about a most desirable change in horse breeding, and assist in introducing into the colony a description of horse that is very much required. Trotting is a quality to which, in the importation of these coaching stallions, particular attention has been directed. Good trotting horses are in this colony few and far between; and though we have for a long time past been in constant communication with America, where the breeding of trotting horses is a specialty, it is only recently that it has been deemed desirable to introduce this quality into the animals bred here. But now at several establishments about the Hunter there are horses which it is believed will produce excellent carriage animals possessed of all the points that are desirable. For good draught stock the Hunter districts have long been celebrated, and a large and profitable industry is carried on in the breeding and sale of horses of this description. Perhaps in no part of the colony is there anything in this respect to surpass what has been done on the Hunter. Not only have the large breeders very valuable draught stallions and mares, but very many small farmers are possessed of similar animals, which they have imported at considerable expense, and from which they derive a very satisfactory income, while at the same time they are doing a great deal to improve the horse stock of the colony. Clydesdales seem to be growing principally into favour, and one of the most taking appearances about a draught horse is plenty of hair about the legs. Breeders cannot, in fact, get the horses with too much hair on the legs for purchasers. Some people think this is being rather overdone, but the circumstance that the stud price of stallions shows no signs of reduction and that plenty of mares are always forthcoming, suggests a different conclusion. For good draught horses there always has been, and always will be, a large demand, because horses of this kind are undoubtedly useful. In the breeding of a racehorse speed is the first consideration, and if the horse should be a failure with regard to racing he is generally unfit for anything else; but in the case of a draught horse there is the material difference that he is always ready for the collar and always serviceable.

The breeding of carriage horses and hackneys has suggested to many persons the idea that advantages would probably result from a judicious method of crossing the breeds of horse stock, and in several directions an opinion is entertained that this would provide an efficient remedy for the low prices which breeders have now to content themselves with, through the over-supply of racehorses. The idea is that a thoroughbred racing stallion put to a draught mare, or a Clydesdale horse with a racing mare—that is crossing the light and heavy breeds—would produce a good class of roadster. Some people, however, say that the only cross of any benefit would be between blood mares and good stylish draught horses, which would produce a good useful roadster or carriage horse; and others again, think that any violent crosses of this nature would eventually have a bad effect upon the horse stock of the country—that, though a fair horse might be obtained, you could not go on breeding with the female, for there would be no saying what the progeny would be, and the breeder might produce all sorts of nondescript animals. Still the more general opinion is that something good would result from such a change in the present plan of breeding, and it is not improbable that some experiments of the kind will be made. There is no doubt that people are getting tired of horses with mere racing qualities in them; and it is equally evident that something must be done to relieve the depression which exists at the present time, and has been apparent for the last two or three years, in the market for the sale of thoroughbred yearlings.

Looking at the stock-breeding industry generally—with regard to cattle, sheep, and horses—it is not at the present time in a prosperous state. Stockbreeders have made money, and in the condition in which they now are it can scarcely be said that they are conducting their operations at a loss; but they are far from being in that position which, perhaps, the numbers and merits of the stock they possess entitle them to enjoy. Some of the New South Wales breeders are not backward in claiming to be possessed of herds equal to, or scarcely less valuable than, for purity of descent and general excellence, some of the famed herds in the mother country, and undoubtedly much benefit has resulted to the colony from the efforts that have been made to improve the stock which have been constantly increasing upon our pasture lands. The difficulty, however, that now stands in the way of the industry assuming that flourishing condition which its importance and extent justify will, in all probability, be only temporary, and so soon as the export of frozen meat begins the desired improvement will come about rapidly. The opportunities for the sale of stock which existed not very long ago, when purchasers were stocking new country in New South Wales, Queensland, and South Australia, are not available now; but stockbreeders and stockowners see the new outlet that will be opened in the shipment of meat to England, and are hopefully waiting the commencement of this export trade. The squatters will be the first to be benefited, for their surplus cattle will find a market and prices will at once improve; and, after the squatters, the breeders of pure stock will begin to reap the advantage that must flow to them from the increased demand there will be for thoroughbred animals to mix with the herds on the squatting runs.

Farming in the Hunter districts is conducted on a very extensive and profitable scale. The soil is wonderfully rich, and the prosperity which the farmers enjoy is interrupted by nothing but the occasional floods in the rivers. These visitations, however, can scarcely be regarded as calamities, for they are, doubtless, the chief source of the land's fertility; and while they may be destructive to one year's crop, they are productive of richer crops in the years that follow. Nothing could be more suggestive of comfort and easy circumstances, with a healthful occupation, than the aspect which many of the farm properties present. Freeholder and tenant farmer may be equally well to do, though, of course, the first-named is in the more advantageous position for making money, and the manner in which many of them have become possessed of a little stock, and in which several have purchased, and use for breeding purposes first-class draught horses, has added very materially to their incomes. Farm labour has been, to a greater or less extent, judiciously cheapened by the introduction of agricultural machines, and there are at least two establishments near at hand—one in particular, at Morpeth—which manufacture a considerable number of machines of various kinds that are in use on the farms around. This change from the old system of hand labour for almost everything largely reduces the cost of farming, and is said to enable the farmers to materially extend their operations. At all agricultural shows in these districts, implements of agriculture are made prominent exhibits, and the adoption of improvements in these manufactures appears to have received a considerable impetus by the knowledge that was gained from the collections of agricultural machinery shown at the recent International Exhibition.

To the cultivation of tobacco the farmers of the Northern districts devote considerable attention, and in some places the leaf grown is very good. On the lands about the Paterson nearly all the small settlers grow more or less every year, and about Glendon Brook, Wollombi, Singleton, Jerry's Plains, Scone, and Tamworth, there is also a considerable production. Tobacco cultivation is attended with no difficulty, beyond the appearance at times of a kind of blight known as "blue mould," which affects the plants very much as rust affects wheat, and sometimes materially reduces the yield from the crop. But this "blue mould" attacks the plants only under certain extraordinary atmospheric conditions, and may during some seasons be entirely absent, so that, as in other respects, the cultivation of tobacco is a very easy and simple occupation, there is no serious hindrance to its being made very profitable. The past season was unfavourable and the yield scanty, but it is believed that next season will far more than make up for the losses of last. Whether colonial tobacco leaf will ever be produced equal in quality to American leaf is a question that cannot at this time be properly decided, for the excellence of the leaf depends largely upon the suitableness of the soil for the growth of the plant, and all the land in the colony capable of growing tobacco has not yet been tried. The tobacco-fields of America are said to be far superior to most of the land upon which tobacco is grown here, but it does not appear improbable that there is a considerable quantity of land in the colony very well suited for the tobacco plant, and the method adopted by the farmers here of drying and curing the leaf might be considerably improved and made more beneficial to the tobacco when it is manufactured and ready for consumption. The largest tobacco manufacturing firm in Maitland consider the district of Tamworth is likely to be the Virginia of New South Wales. The quality of the leaf grown there is considered to be very superior, and the tobacco manufactured from this leaf is appreciated very much. The Paterson and Glendon Brook leaf is liked better than that produced about Maitland, a circumstance owing entirely to the fact that the soil and the climate are more favourable for the growth of the plant about the former places. On the flats around Maitland saltpetre is taken up into the leaf, and this causes the manufactured tobacco to burn badly, and prevents it from leaving that white ash which is always produced by tobacco of a good description. Tobacco leaf grown on the banks or in the vicinity of a river in which the tide flows is never so good as that grown where there is no chance of saltpetre being absorbed by the plant. At present tobacco cultivation is conducted in the Hunter districts on a more extensive scale than in any other part of the colony, but manufacturers in Maitland are of opinion that eventually the largest production of tobacco will be in the Southern districts, where there are more Chinamen and cheap labour.

There are no less than nine manufactories in the Hunter districts, though only one manufactures anything like a large quantity of tobacco every year, and in addition to the purchases of the leaf made for these factories, buyers from Sydney visit the tobacco-growing farms every season, and secure as much as possible for the metropolis. Last year the value of the leaf to the farmer was from 4d. and 4½d. to 6d. a lb., but this year, in consequence of the short crop, the leaf has been worth from 8d. to 10d. The manufacture is said to be fairly profitable, and probably the profits are very satisfactory, especially to the Sydney houses. It is not easy to learn to what extent any industry is paying, for information that would reveal what the profits on any business are might bring rivals into the field, and it is therefore judiciously withheld. Some of the leaf is made up, without being mixed with leaf of any other kind, and is what might be termed pure colonial tobacco, but much of it is used with imported American leaf, which is understood to greatly improve it and make it much more agreeable to smokers; and by putting a pleasant perfume of some kind with it, and using care in the manufacture, this mixture sells very well. As in every case where deception is easy, tobacco manufacturers are not free from a charge of making and selling something for what it is not, and it is said that in some places not a little of the colonial leaf is first mixed, and then when made into tobacco sold as pure American. Tobacco manufacture in Maitland seems to have fallen off considerably, because of the competition in Sydney, but there is no falling off in the manufacture generally through the colony. The quantity that is made in Maitland and in other places within the districts where there are manufactories is sent partly to Sydney, but principally to various towns in the north, where it is supplied to storekeepers, and by them to stations and to casual purchasers.

The lands of the Hunter and its tributaries were at one time well suited for the production of wheat, and the wheat crops were very large and satisfactory; but rust made its appearance, and caused so much destruction that a large quantity of wheat is not grown now, for many farmers do not care to risk the consequences which might arise from rust attacking their crops. A considerable quantity of seed may be sown each year, and in particularly favourable seasons the return may be very good, but generally a great deal is destroyed by the rust, and this very much disheartens the farmers. Maize and other crops of a general nature are extensively grown, and a large quantity of dairy produce and of farm live stock, such as pigs and poultry, find a ready market in various directions. On the farms about the Paterson district every settler is said to have his score of pigs, which he fattens with maize and afterwards makes into bacon and sends to Sydney, and a good many of the proprietors of the larger estates do a little in the same way. They keep pigs, or purchase from their tenants, taking corn from them as part of the rent of the farms, and then after fattening the pigs they turn them into bacon, and send the bacon away for sale. It is scarcely necessary to say that there is no land in these districts which is not in the hands of somebody, but though this is the case there are large estates in some parts well suited for agricultural purposes, and the proprietors of which appear to be very willing to let portions of them to tenant farmers at rentals which will not be any hindrance to the profitableness of the farming operations. There is certainly no better land in the colony, and sooner or later the whole of it is sure to be in use for that which it is most suited.

With regard to manufactures and trades generally, Maitland and the towns on either side of it have their fair share, and though, in connection with some of these, there is just now a dulness or depression in business, they appear to be firmly established, and will make their way. Here and there will be found a man who declares manufactures will never be carried on profitably until the industries of the colony are "protected," and that it is the free trade policy of the land which prevents them from being as brisk as they might be, but generally the Hunter River people see more clearly, and, properly appreciating the resources at their command, are content to progress with no other assistance than their own abilities and their own persevering efforts.

The *Times* describes a new apparatus that has been invented for treating cases of typhoid fever, &c., by refrigeration. The coverlet is formed of a tube of caoutchouc 80 metres long, bent to and fro in a series of equal lengths, and enclosed between two pieces of cloth. The tube is traversed throughout by a current of cold water, its two ends communicating with a distributing apparatus placed on a table at the foot of the bed. This apparatus comprises two stop-cocks in a parallel position, each with an adjoining cylindrical metallic case, from which the stem of a thermometer projects. The stop-cocks are connected with the two ends of the coverlet tube, and the cases are connected on the other side, one with the tube from a reservoir, the other with the tube of outflow for the water that has been used. The tube from the coverlet to the stop-cock of outlet is arranged to send the water through a small glass bell jar on the table, which enables one to judge of the regularity of the flow, while the thermometers indicate the temperatures at which the water enters and leaves the coverlet. The apparatus is said to be highly sensitive; a slight alteration of the orifice of one or other of the stop-cocks, or of both simultaneously, is followed almost immediately by thermometric variations. The weight of the patient has, of course, no influence on the flow of liquid, which is effected with excellent regularity.

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REVIEW

Eucalyptographia. A Descriptive Atlas of the Eucalypts of Australia and the adjoining Islands. By Baron F. Von Mueller, K.C.M.G., &c., &c., &c. Sixth Decade. Melbourne: John Ferres, Government Printer, &c., &c., 1880.

Baron Mueller has favoured the scientific world with another decade of our Eucalypts, and, in so doing, he has furnished a further instalment towards the classification of the species and the better understanding of their alliances. So far as the figures and letter-press are concerned, they bear favourable comparison with those of the preceding decades, whilst the description of E. globulus, or the "Tasmanian blue gum," as it is generally called, is the most elaborate account hitherto furnished of that most useful species. It is pleasing to observe, that though the work is modestly termed "A Descriptive Atlas," the learned author does not confine himself to technical description, which, at the best, is only understood by botanists, but that he takes every opportunity of setting forth the commercial, industrial, and medicinal value of our Eucalypts. These wonderful trees, principally through the writings of the Baron, are now getting a world-wide reputation, and, therefore, the account of each species, as it issues from the press, will be read with interest by arboriculturists in many countries. The south of Europe, the northern coast of Africa, the west coast of America, and the interior of India, are all contributing towards the cultivation of our Eucalypts, and rejoicing in the influence which they are calculated to exercise on the climate. Forests of blue gum trees are now rising in Algeria and Upper India, whilst the miasmatic exhalations of the Pontinian Swamps, or Pontine Marshes, are being subdued by the sanitary effects of the same kind of trees. As a matter of history, it is well known that, long before the Christian era, plans were initiated for the improvement of these fever swamps; and that Julius Cæsar, Trajan, and other emperors made many abortive attempts to follow up the work. Whilst, however, all their efforts proved unsuccessful, it remained for the gum trees of Australia to act "most wholesomely on the poisonous air of the Campagna," and to be regarded by the inhabitants "as a gracious gift."

1. The first of the ten species now figured and described is E. Buprestium (F. v. M.), a small tree of Western Australia, remarkable for the size of its fruit, the nectar-fluid of the flowers, and the attractions which it affords to some of the beautiful beetles of the Buprestis kind. Though this species is small, yet, as it grows on mere sand, it may be utilized for binding arenaceous soil and converting it gradually into pasture land, whilst at the same time it offers a problem for entomological research.

2. E. globulus (Labill.).—This is the ordinary blue gum tree of Victoria and Tasmania, though it extends to the southern parts of New South Wales. As a species, this is at once distinguished from most of its congeners by its warty-glandular calyxes, covered by a crownshaped lid, whilst the seedlings have a glaucous appearance, with quadrangular stems and sessile heart-shaped leaves. E. globulus is remarkable for its rapid growth, its capability of enduring a considerable range of temperature, the strength of its wood, and its varied medicinal uses. The Baron remarks that, "Perhaps not even to the Royal oak of England has such an extensive literature been devoted at any particular period as to our blue gum tree within the last twenty years;" and he adds, "that if even only the main substance of the writings on this now famous tree were to be collected, we should have material enough to fill a large volume." He then refers to upwards of 70 works, illustrative in some way or other of the wonderful properties of the species! Amongst other facts recorded of E. globulus, Mr. Backhouse states that he had seen one in Tasmania 330 feet high, and Dr. W. von Hamm affirms that he saw a tree at Lago Maggiore, which had attained the height of 120 feet in twenty-eight years. Sir W. Denison arrived at the conclusion, from observations in Tasmania, that the blue gum will continue its upward growth in deep nutritive soil for about eighty years, after which space of time the tree will only enlarge in the girth of its stem and branches. On the longevity of the species the Baron gives no definite opinion, though he thinks that the period of 2300 years, assigned to it by Langethal (Kalender Pflanzen) is vastly over-rated!

3. E. megacarpa (F. von M.), so called from the large size of its fruit, is a middle-sized tree of Western Australia. The precise value of its wood is not yet known, but its volatile oil has an odour similar to that of Cajeput, though more agreeable, and with a specific gravity of 0·872. In treating of this species, the Baron furnishes some interesting data respecting the comparative size of Eucalypt seed. He remarks that "the proportionate, as well as absolute, size of the fertile and sterile seeds is at an average so different in many eucalypts as to afford often important marks of specific distinctions." This fact, when taken in connection with the shape of the anthers and fruit, as well as the texture of the bark, may prove a valuable character in showing the affinities of species; and, as the Baron adds, "it may control to some extent the purchase of seeds of particular kinds in the trade."

4. E. miniata (Cunn.), which is a tree of some size occurring in Northern Australia, takes its specific name from the colour of its flowers, the filaments being like that of red lead (minium). Like some other red or pink flowering Eucalypts, this tree forms quite an ornament in the landscape, whilst the bark contains woody ramifications, and reminds the observer "in external appearance and in fracture much of mica-schist, thus indicating for it, and also for E. phœnicia a peculiar section of the cortical system, that of Lepidophloiæ." From the cultivation of plants raised from seeds procured by Baron Mueller thirteen years previously, it appears that seeds of the Eucalypts "will retain their power of germination for a very lengthened period, provided they are stored in a dry and cool locality." This fact affords an additional contribution to the value of the genus.

5. E. occidentalis (Endl.) is a large tree of Western Australia, of rapid growth, and rising to the height of 120 feet. The timber is hard and strong, and valued by wheelwrights. According to the views of the Baron, this species is subject to a considerable amount of variation.

6. E. peltata (Benth.) is a small or middle-sized tree of N. E. Australia, remarkable for being the only known Eucalypt which has its leaves peltately inserted on the petiole above the base, and known by the popular name of "Yellow Jacket," as the bark has generally a pale yellowish colour. The wood is reported to be useful, but nowhere extensively available.

7. E. punctata (D.C.) was regarded by Mr. Bentham as a variety of E. tereticornis, but the Baron has very properly restored it to the dignity of a species. Independently of the fact that E. punctata differs materially from E. tereticornis in the wood and bark, they are distinguished from each other by the size of the operculum, the shape of the fruit, and the venation of the leaves. The former tree, known to workmen as "Hickory," or "Leather Jacket," has a thick leathery bark, sometimes rough and persistent on the lower part of the butt, and the wood tough, pale-reddish brown, extremely durable, useful for fencing, railway sleepers, wheelwrights' work, &c. Baron Mueller remarks, in reference to the specific appellation of this tree, that "the transparent dots of the leaves come only well into view after the drying of the foliage," and that the leaves ought to yield a fair quantity of volatile oil, as their stomata number about 140,000 on a square inch. As E. punctata occurs extensively in New South Wales, not only from Sydney to the Blue Mountains, but also in the Northern and Southern districts, it is a species in which this colony is interested. It is worthy of notice that this species is connected with E. saligna by the foliage, and with E. viminalis in producing occasionally melitose-manna.

8. E. setosa (Schauer) is a low-spreading tree on the islands of the Gulf of Carpentaria, and also on the mainland around the Gulf. It has a striking resemblance to some species of Angophora, or apple, but differs in the shape of the fruit, and the absence of petals.

9. E. stellulata (Sieb.) is another of those species in which New South Wales is interested, as it occurs in the mountainous districts, and seems peculiar to this colony and Victoria. It seldom attains any great size, and is somewhat variable in the bark, being sometimes nearly smooth on the butt and branches, and sometimes rough and dark about the butt. It takes its specific name from the star-like arrangement of the flower buds, and the leaves differ from most of the Eucalypts in having the primary veins almost longitudinal. On the upper part of the Blue Mountains there is a narrow-leaved variety of E. stellulata, with smaller flowers and fruit, and of a shrubby habit. Baron Mueller is of opinion that this species might be advantageously cultivated "in Britain or the Channel Islands, where extensive tests on the endurance of cold might well be instituted with many other Eucalypts."

10. E. tetragona (F. v. M) is a small tree or shrub of Western Australia. The author remarks—"Its main shrubby growth gives this species no particular claim to the practical attention of artisans;" but a figure is given with sectional drawings of flower and fruit, because the former has a structural interest, having the remarkable characteristic of its stamens being united into bundles, which alternate with the teeth of the calyx. On this distinction R. Brown rested his genus Eudesmia, which, in the opinion of the Baron, should be united with Eucalyptus.

From this short review of the 6th decade, it appears that sixty species of our Eucalypts are now well defined, and that of these about one-half extend to New South Wales. As the descriptions are illustrated by well executed figures, they must prove of great value in the identification of species; whilst, at the same time, they will fix many of the names which have hitherto been doubtful. It is worthy of notice that some of the smallest Eucalypts have the largest flowers and fruits, and these occur, for the most part, in Southern and Western Australia. In the course of the present inquiry, it also appears that the size and shape of the seeds afford useful characters in classification, and that species vary considerably in the quantity of kino and volatile oil which they contain, as well as in the value of their respective woods. The seeds of Eucalypts are, likewise, supposed to possess extraordinary powers of vitality. As the Baron has received no material assistance for the prosecution of his work from any of the Australian colonies, excepting Victoria and Western Australia, he is certainly worthy of every consideration for having given so many figures and descriptions of trees indigenous in New South Wales and Queensland. Having formed the idea of illustrating the genus throughout the length and breadth of the continent, he has risen above all local feeling, and taken a wide and expansive view of the subject. He is the first botanist in Australia, it may be added, who has had the ability requisite for such an undertaking, for, in addition to the vast material which he has collected during the last thirty years, he has visited many parts of Australia for the express purpose of examining Eucalypts in their native forests. Brown, Cunningham, and other botanists who preceded him, it is true, paved the way for the present work by collecting specimens; but it remained for the Baron to concentrate, as it were, the knowledge hitherto acquired, and to devise a system whereby species may be arranged and classified. This great work is now being carried on, and, though every praise is due to those illustrious botanists and explorers, who, in the early days of the colony, did what they could to fix some characters for classification, it must be confessed that, until very recently, species were better known by their wood and bark than by any of those marks which usually characterise specific difference. To Baron F. von Mueller therefore science is deeply indebted, and his Eucalyptographia will long remain as a monument of his learning and perseverance.

MINERAL SPECIMENS at the MUSEUM.

I.

Some months ago, Professor Liversidge, who was then on a tour through Great Britain and Europe, was commissioned by the trustees of the Sydney Museum to purchase for them a collection of mineralogical specimens, and the result may now be seen at the south end of the second floor of the Museum. Italy, Germany, Austria, and England have each been laid under contribution, and the professor, aided by his thorough knowledge of mineralogy, has so judiciously expended the £1000 voted him that the colony possesses an unusually complete collection, including specimens such as are not to be seen anywhere else in Australia. The Sydney University possesses the Krouts collection, but it is not so complete as this at the Museum, which, except in one or two special cases, possesses finer and more numerous specimens in every class represented. Professor Liversidge purchased just what struck him as being particularly good, or as the best kind of article he could get with the money at his disposal, and his efforts have given the colony a collection which it could scarcely have hoped to obtain. Under his supervision Mr. Ramsay has classified them, and displayed them in very intelligible order. The classification list, which is chiefly of interest to the mineralogical student, is as follows:—Non-metallic Minerals: Carbon and boron, including diamond, graphite, and coals; sulphur and selenium, haloids and salts, magnesia, yttria, alumina, zirconia, ceria, earths, silica, alumina, magnesia, silicates and aluminates. Metallic Minerals: Titanium, tantalum, niobium and pelopium, tungsten, molybdenum, vanadium, chromium, uranium, manganese, arsenic, antimony, tellurium, zinc, cadmium, tin, lead, iron, cobalt, nickel, copper, mercury, silver, gold, platinum, palladium, rhodium, iridium, osmium, lanthanium, columbium, and cerium. Each of these has of course many sub-sections; and in dealing with the specimens classed under each subhead we shall content ourselves generally with touching upon such as appear to be of unusual scientific or public interest. An unusually large mass of steel-gray graphite, or black lead, gleams with a dull metallic lustre at the end of the first case. This is the material of which the best crucibles are made, and which every schoolboy uses as a pencil. The large mass came from Ceylon, but close beside it lies a smaller lump, from the famous mine of Borrowdale, in Cumberland, which is now thought to be nearly worked out. At a mine near Keswick, which now has been nearly exhausted of its black lead, a single mass was found 50 years ago, which yielded about 70,000 lbs. of the purest plumbago, worth about 30s. a lb. Such an important discovery has never been made since. Then comes a good specimen of elastic bitumen, the source of parrafin; after which we come to some ozokerite, or mineral wax, used in the manufacture of candles, and consisting mainly of solid parrafin wax. Some bits of amber from the Baltic imprison insects and other foreign bodies, and thus preserve them in a transparent casing through which they can be distinctly identified. Amber is the fossil resin of an extinct pine, and to attempt to sketch the various traditions connected with it, and the many uses to which it is put, would of itself require a special paper. Next come some splendid crystals of sulphur from Gergenti, Sicily, and some other crystals which are interesting as being associated with strontia, a mineral which is the principal agent in producing the red fire used on the stage and for fireworks. Another specimen—a rare variety—shows sulphur crystals associated with selenium, a mineral which is likely in a short time to attract universal interest. It is an important agent in the recently discovered process of transmitting pictures by telegraph. A large case of salts is interesting to mineralogists; but the unlearned will be most attracted by some blue crystals of rock-salt—crystals which look like sapphires. Then we come to some baryta, a substance which is used as an adulterant, and which from its extreme heaviness often masquerades as white lead. Baryta also furnishes the green tinge for fireworks. Of coelestine there is a very fine specimen, and the calcites are good, one of a bright pink being especially curious. The Iceland spar, one piece of which shows a crystalline cleavage and a double refraction, is generally used for making optical instruments. The collection includes two remarkably large crystals, one being of this Iceland spar. Crystals of such a size as this are very hard to obtain. The next case contains different varieties of phosphates of lime, all very valuable, and all chiefly known by their association with manure. Some selenite, which looks like glass, is attractive. The fluor spars are very lovely, and the shades of amber, white, yellow, brown, green, and purple, which these fairylike crystals present, invest their beauty of form with a beauty of colour whose tones are characteristic of this mineral. Purple spar looks like masses of amethyst, and deserves a better name than that of Blue John, with which the unpretending Derbyshire miner has invested it. It cuts easily, polishes well, and is worked into elegant vases, tazzas, and little vessels. Large supplies of it used to come from the famous Peak mine, which has now become almost completely worked out. Some of the Museum crystals are delicately frosted over with quartz crystals, and look as if cunning silversmiths had been throwing a net of silver over them. Then follows magnesite, the native carbonate of magnesia, a mineral which may be worth working some day, though at present Epsom salts are too cheap to allow of its being profitable to send magnesite to market. Zirconia is a mineral often found in the stream deposits of this colony, and miners working for tin and gold often encounter it. They often come across rough gems, zircons, which, when pink, are known as hyacinths. Several hyacinths and other zircons are shown. Next comes a case of rock crystals, interesting as containing cavities filled with liquids or with gases; and afterwards some fine specimens of amethyst, a precious stone which is simply a coloured variety of quartz. Amethysts are found deposited within the cavities (generally almond-shaped) of igneous rocks, and their beautiful hue is supposed to be due to a trace of manganese in them. Then comes aventurine, a combination of quartz and mica, whose light red surface, when polished, refracts light from myriads of little surfaces, as if it were set thickly with tiny brilliants. Its prismatic lustre is easily imitated, and the artificial aventurine is rather better-looking than the genuine article. The artificial article is composed of glass, with a little copper disseminated through it. There are some good specimens of alexandrite, a variety of chrysoberyl, which presents the curious anomaly of looking green by reflected light—that is, when you look at the mineral; and red by transmitted light—that is, when you look through it. Fluor spar also sometimes disports itself in this extraordinary shape. The collection is rich in agate. Agate is formed in much the same way as amethyst, and almost every one must have seen it, worked into buttons, studs, and ornaments. Its colours are arranged in clouds, spots, and bands, and sometimes these lend themselves to the formation of very lovely cups and vases, presenting concentric rings, or symmetrically arranged markings, on a ground of orange or brown.

THE METROPOLITAN AND SUBURBAN ELECTORATES.

Under the new Electoral Act considerable alterations have been made in the various electorates throughout the colony, with the view of adjusting electoral inequalities. As several of the metropolitan and suburban electorates have been thus altered, the following definitions of their boundaries (as stated in the Electoral Act) will no doubt be of considerable interest to a very large number of our readers as enabling them to ascertain which electorate they will be entitled to vote at the forthcoming general election:—

BALMAIN.

County of Cumberland, parish of Petersham: bounded on the south from White's Creek by the centre of the Parramatta Road westerly to Long Cove Creek, on the west by that creek northerly to Long Cove, and on all other sides by the waters of Port Jackson north-easterly, south-easterly, and south-westerly to White's Creek, and by that creek upwards to the Parramatta Road aforesaid at the point of commencement. One member.

CANTERBURY.

Embracing part of the county of Cumberland, bounded on the east from the centre of the Parramatta Road at the bridge over Johnson's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the railway line by Liberty-street, Kingston, to Stanmore Road, by the Stanmore Road to the Enmore Road, by the Enmore Road southerly to Juliet-street, and by Juliet-street, Harrow Road, and the Edgeware Road to May-street; thence by May-street to the Newtown Road, by that road and the western boundary of the borough of Alexandria southerly and the southern boundary of that borough easterly to Shea's Creek, thence by Shea's Creek, Cook's River and the western side of Botany Bay southerly to George's River, on the south by that river upwards to Saltpan Creek, on the west by the western boundary of the parishes of St. George and Concord to the Parramatta River, on the north by the Parramatta River and the waters of Port Jackson and Long Cove, and Long Cove Creek to the Parramatta Road, and thence by the centre of that road easterly to Johnson's Creek at the point of commencement. Two members.

CENTRAL CUMBERLAND.

Embracing a central portion of the county of Cumberland and bounded on the north from the sea by Botany Bay and George's River to Salt Pan Creek; thence by the western boundaries of the parishes of St. George and Concord northerly to the Parramatta River; thence by that river downwards to the Lane Cover River; thence by the Lane Cove River upwards, the western boundaries of the parishes of Gordon and Broken Bay northerly, and Cowan Creek downwards to the Hawkesbury River; thence by that river upwards to the south-eastern boundary of the parish of Frederick; thence by that boundary south-westerly to the North Road leading to Wiseman's Ferry; thence by that road southerly to the north boundary of George Suttor's grant of sixty acres; thence by part of the north boundary of G. Suttor's sixty acres, bearing west the west boundaries of that land, J. Martin's sixty acres and M. O'Brien's five hundred acres bearing south, the south boundary of the latter portion bearing east, and part of the north-west boundary of W. Tunks' one hundred and seventy-three acres south-westerly to the north boundary of the parish of Castle Hill; thence by the north and part of the west boundary of that parish westerly and southerly to the junction of the Windsor and Pitt Town roads at Vinegar Hill; thence by the Windsor road south-easterly to the north boundary of the parish of Prospect at Seven Hills; thence by that boundary westerly to Eastern Creek, and by that creek upwards to the south boundary of the parish of Prospect, and by that boundary easterly and the west boundary of the parish of St. Luke southerly to the junction of the old Orphan School road with the old Cowpasture road, and by the former road westerly to South Creek, by South Creek upwards to Bringelly Road, by that road easterly to the Cowpasture Road at Carne's Hill, and by that road southerly to the cross-road at the south-west corner of the parish of Minto; on the south by that cross-road to the Campbelltown Road, and by the south boundary of the parish of Minto to George's River; thence by that river downwards to a point where the south boundary of the parish of Holsworthy meets it; thence by that boundary, bearing east, to Woronora Creek; thence by the south-west boundary of the parish of Southerland south-easterly to Port Hacking Creek, by that creek upwards to a point where the south boundary of the parish of Wattamolla meets it; thence by the south boundary of that parish easterly to the sea, and thence on the east by the sea northerly to Botany Bay aforesaid at the point of commencement. Two members.

THE GLEBE.

County of Cumberland, parish of Petersham. Bounded on the south from White's Creek by the Parramatta Road, easterly to Johnstone's Creek by Johnstone's Creek to Orphan School Creek, by that creek upwards to the centre of the Parramatta Road, and thence again by that road easterly to Bay-street; on the east by Bay-street northerly to Blackwattle Swamp; on the north by the waters of Port Jackson to White's Creek; and on the west by White's Creek southerly to Parramatta Road aforesaid. One member.

NEWTOWN.

Embracing part of the county of Cumberland. Bounded on the north from the bridge over Johnstone's Creek by that creek downwards to Orphan School Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the centre of the Parramatta Road; thence by that road easterly to the Newtown Road on the east by the centre of the Newtown Road southerly to its junction with Cleveland-street; thence by the centre of that street, being part of the southern boundary of the city of Sydney, easterly to Blackwattle Swamp Creek; thence by that creek and a line south-westerly, being part of the north-western boundary of the Municipality of Redfern, to the boundary dividing the Borough of Newtown from the Municipality of Redfern; thence by that boundary southerly and the boundary dividing the Municipality of Redfern and the Borough of Alexandria from that of Newtown and the municipal district of Macdonald Town southerly, and westerly to the Cook's River Road; thence by the centre of that road southerly to May-street; thence by the southern boundary of the Borough of Newtown to Edgeware Road; thence on the west by the western boundary of that borough being the Edgeware Road, north-westerly to Harrow Road, Harrow Road to Juliet-street, Juliet-street to Enmore Road, Enmore Road to Stanmore Road, Stanmore Road to Liberty-street, Kingston; Liberty-street to the railway line; thence by the western boundaries of the Boroughs of Newtown and Camperdown being Johnstone's Creek downwards to the Parramatta Road at the point of commencement. Two members.

PADDINGTON.

Embracing part of the county of Cumberland, bounded on the west from the bridge on the New South Head Road over the stream entering Rushcutter Bay, known as the valley and Lacrozia Creek, by part of the east boundary of the city of Sydney, being that stream upwards to the centre of the Old South Head Road, and by that road easterly to the centre of Dowling-street, and by that street southerly to a point where it intersects the southern boundary of the Borough of Paddington; thence by that boundary to its intersection with the centre of Regent-street; thence by the centre of Leinster-street to the centre of Gordon-street; thence by the centre of that street to the north side of Park Road; thence by the north side of that road to the south-eastern angle of St. Matthias' Church land; thence by the south-eastern and eastern boundaries of that land to the southern alignment of the South Head Old Road, thence by the southern alignment of that road easterly to its intersection with a line laid down marked out by stone posts and deemed to be the dividing line between the Sydney Common and the Water Reserve; thence by the said dividing line to its intersection with the southern boundary of the Sydney Common; thence by a line due east, being the south boundary of the Water Reserve to its intersection with the centre of Bunnerong Road, by the centre of that road southerly to its intersection with the centre of Rainbow-street, by the centre of that street easterly to the sea, by the sea northerly to the waters of Port Jackson, and by the waters of Port Jackson to the stream aforesaid at the point of commencement. Two members.

PARRAMATTA.

Embracing the town of Parramatta, in the county of Cumberland, and bounded on the east by a line from the Parramatta River at a point opposite the mouth of Clay Cliff Creek, bearing north one degree, west fifty-five chains and thirty links, and passing along the Orphan School Road to the north side of the Kissing Point Road; thence on the north by a line bearing west eighteen and a-half degrees, north one hundred and twenty-four chains and forty links to the western side of the Windsor Road; near the Darling Mills Bridge; on the west by lines bearing south thirty-four degrees west twenty-four chains and fifty links, south; two and a half degrees, west seventy-five chains and seventy links to a bridge over Domain Creek, thence south twenty degrees, east forty-six chains and ninety links, crossing the Western Road, and south twenty-one and three-quarter degrees east; forty chains and 50 links on the south by lines bearing east nineteen and one-quarter degrees, north forty chains, crossing the Sydney Road, and east twenty-eight and a half degrees, north fifty-six chains, and again on the east by a watercourse to Clay Cliff Creek, and by that creek to the Parramatta River, aforesaid. One member.

REDFERN.

Embracing part of the county of Cumberland, bounded on the north by the centre of Cleveland-street, being the south boundary of the city of Sydney, from a point where it intersects the Blackwattle Swamp Creek, easterly to the western boundary of the Sydney common, by that boundary southerly to its south-western corner; thence by the south boundary of that common, and part of the south boundary of the Sydney water reserve, easterly to the centre of Bunnerong Road; by the centre of that road southerly to its intersection with the centre of Rainbow-street, and by the centre of that street easterly to the sea, and by the sea to Botany Bay, and by Botany Bay westerly to Cook's River, and by the northern side of Cook's River to Shea's Creek, and by Shea's Creek upwards to the south boundary of the borough of Alexandria; thence by that boundary westerly to an eastern boundary of the municipal district of St. Peters, being a south-eastern boundary of Thomas Smith's four hundred and seventy acres, Tempe; thence by that boundary and that land north-easterly to the centre of the road, dividing Thomas Smith's four hundred and seventy acres and D. Chambers' forty acres from the Waterloo estate, known as Waterloo-street; thence by that street to the Cook's River Road; thence by the centre of that road to the south boundary of S. Burt's thirty acres, being the southern boundary of the municipal district of Macdonald Town; thence by the southern, eastern, and a northern boundary of that municipal district, being the southern, eastern, and part of the northern boundaries of S. Burt's 30 acres, and the eastern boundaries of Nicholas Devine's grants; thence by a south-western boundary of the municipality of Redfern, being the south-western boundary of James Chisholm's fifty-seven acres, and part of the south-western boundary of M. Hutchinson's fifty-two acres, north-westerly to a point on the north-eastern boundary of the borough of Newtown, where the north-western boundary of the municipality of Redfern meets it, thence by that boundary to Blackwattle Swamp Creek, at the point of commencement. Two members.

ST. LEONARDS.

Embracing the north-eastern portion of the county of Cumberland, and bounded on the north by the Hawkesbury River from the sea at Broken Bay to its junction with Cowan Creek; thence by that creek upwards being the south-east boundary of the parish of Cowan to the north-west boundary of the parish of Gordon, and by that boundary southerly to the Lane Cove River, by the Lane Cove River downwards to the Parramatta River, by the Parramatta River and the waters of Port Jackson to the sea, and by the sea northerly to the point of commencement. One member.

EAST SYDNEY.

Embracing an eastern portion of the city of Sydney, and bounded on the east from the bridge on the New South Head Road over the stream entering Rushcutter Bay known as the valley and Lacrozia Creek by part of the east boundary of the city of Sydney, being that stream upwards to the centre of the Old South Head Road; bounded thence by the centre of the Old South Head Road westerly to its junction with Liverpool-street; thence by that street to George-street; thence by George-street northerly till it meets the road from the landing-place at Dawes Battery Point, by that road to the waters of Port Jackson; thence by the waters of Port Jackson to the stream aforesaid at the point of commencement. Four members.

SOUTH SYDNEY.

Embracing the southern portion of the City of Sydney, and bounded thence by the centre of Liverpool-street, from its intersection with George-street to its junction with the Old South Head Road, and by that road easterly to the centre of Dowling-street, and by that street southerly to a point where it intersects the southern boundary of the Borough of Paddington, thence on the north by that boundary to its intersection with the centre of Regent-street, thence by the centre of Leinster-street to the centre of Gordon-street; thence by the centre of that street to the north side of Park Road, thence by the north side of that road to the south-eastern angle of St. Matthias' Church land; thence by the south-eastern and eastern boundaries of that land to the southern alignment of the South Head old road; thence by the southern alignment of that road easterly to its intersection with a line laid down marked out by stone posts, and deemed to be the dividing line between the Sydney Common and the Water Reserve; thence by the said dividing line to its intersection with the southern boundary of the Sydney Common, thence by that boundary to the south-west corner of the said Common, thence by the western boundary of that Common northerly to its intersection with the centre of Cleveland-street; thence by the centre of that street westerly to the Newtown Road, and by the centre of that road northerly to Parramatta-street, and by the centre of that street to George-street, and by the centre of George-street to its intersection with Liverpool-street, at the point of commencement. Four members.

WEST SYDNEY.

Embracing a western portion of the city of Sydney, and bounded on the east from the landing place at Dawes Battery Point by the centre of the road; thence to George-street, and by George-street to Parramatta-street, and by Parramatta-street to Bay-street; thence by Bay-street to Blackwattle Swamp Cove, and by that cove and the waters of Port Jackson to Dawes Battery Point aforesaid to include the islands of Port Jackson and Parramatta River. Four members.

FERMENTED and DISTILLED LIQUORS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—With your kind permission I wish to make a few remarks on your leader on fermented and distilled liquors, in your issue of 30th ultimo.

I have had some twenty years' experience as a practical distiller in one of the large distilleries in London, and in the course of my work have had to make myself acquainted with the manufacture of beer and malt, as they are so closely allied with the distillation of spirit.

Some twenty years ago my firm sent from London here "spirits of wine," called here, rightly or wrongly, "white spirit." The strength we sent was about 62 to 65 overproof. That spirit was made entirely from raw grain with the requisite amount of malt to convert the starch of raw grain to sugar, to enable the wort extracted, and by fermentation and by the subsequent mechanical process of distillation, to yield the spirit.

The first point I wish to remark on is the glucose. A glucose factory started in the East-End of London some thirty years ago, and failed. I for one was anxious to use this glucose, as it professed to give nearly pure cane, not grape sugar, and of course would have saved great expense in the manufacture; but it was "the two bites to the cherry;" the mash tuns in our distillery, as also in any other distillery or brewery, did the work from the raw material, without the after expense of concentration. Glucose, I think from recollection was not allowed to be used by brewers, as it contained a mixture of raw grain an article not allowed by the "excise" or "inland revenue" laws to be used. To make glucose from malt, if possible, is like carrying coals to Newcastle. The grain is already converted to sugar, with the exception of the acrospeare, which, by its chemical action, deals with any starch that may have escaped the malting. As a proof, the brewers' grains sold to cowkeepers, &c., are little more than chaff, while the distillers' grains, from using raw grain in mixture, contain some more nutritive qualities, and command six or eight times the price of the other.

With regard to the manufacture of glucose, it is really very simple if malt and raw grain are used. The diastase which exists, and is nearly identical with the acrospeare, acts on the starch of the raw grain and converts it to sugar. If acids are used instead of malt the conversion is the same; but the acid has to be neutralized by an alkali (chalk) and separates itself as a salt, but still a slight "free acid" is left, sufficient to affect the copper of Coffey's apparatus—the after process is by drainage and compression to get the required consistency.

With regard to the distillation of spirit, Coffey's apparatus, since I believe somewhat improved upon, is a good separator of the essential oils (or fusel) from the pure alcohol. Pure alcohol, like many other purities, is not attainable; it must be held by water, otherwise it would, like other spirits, disappear in space. Coffey's apparatus distils so well that it cannot make whisky. Whisky—I speak as a distiller—is about the most impure spirit made. I speak not of adulteration—that is quite another matter; the flavour and body of whisky are entirely owing to its essential oils, which are a component part of the grain from which it is made, and not from any foreign mixture. Brandy the same, but the oils are those belonging to the grape. Gin—not the square bottles as sold here, but "Old Tom"—is the "pure" spirit as it comes from Coffey's or some similar still, still further purified by the rectifiers' still, during which process it parts with the essential oils of grain, or the material from which it started, and takes up the oils or flavouring of juniper, angelica, &c., and mixed, if required, with the best white loaf sugar obtainable.

The gin sold here is not of British manufacture, and in London would be called Hollands.

The prices mentioned in your paper seem to me out of all probability for anything like pure spirit. A rough estimate can readily be made thus:—Twenty proof gallons spirits, ex 400 lbs. grain, plus 3d. expenses manufacture, and plus expenses of transport, &c., here.

Proof spirit, when we exported here, we did at 3s. 2d. per proof gallon, or, as far as I can remember, a little over 5s. 6d. per bulk gallon delivered, ex ship duty free, and at that time a large demand existed for France and Spain, and our prices ruled high.

The object of the distiller is to supply the rectifyer with as pure a spirit as possible, and he endeavours by every means in his power to get rid of the fusel oil—fusel oil—though an essential component part of grain and every material under the sun (organic), is greatly formed during the process of fermentation—two fermenting backs containing the same wort, treated the same, will give different yields of spirit and oil.

Coffey's and any other still—Coffey's by once, the old kettles by two, three, and more efforts, give the same spirit. Every grain, sugar, root, &c., have their especial qualities—from barley by keeping it improves; rice deteriorates, almost offensive to the smell; sugar obtains a prime flavour; roots earthy.

I must confess I never heard of whisky grist, unless thereby is meant malt, which will at once substantiate my above remarks as to the impurity of whisky as an oil containing spirit; but so far from its being injurious, look at the Scotch, and more than one doctor, from personal experience, has told me that good whisky has very sustaining powers—the oils are retained in the spirit, owing to "necessary" imperfect still; too great a separation of essential oils in every case destroys or rather removes the peculiarities of the liquor.

Silent spirit coming direct from the distiller is unadulterated with foreign material, and instead of mixing methyl (crude naphtha) the greatest safeguard would be a Customs' or Excise certificate from the shipping port of the United Kingdom, a certificate easily obtained, and one which the actual distiller would gladly get and forward with his goods.

The distiller in the United Kingdom is carefully watched, by inland revenue officials from the time his raw materials is first "vetted" till it leaves his premises, and then if for home use, other officials watch it till it is delivered to the publican; if for export, the inland revenue send an officer, and he delivers it to the Customs, the Customs watch it then till the bills of lading are signed.

Scarcely any name or brand that comes out here is that of a manufacturer of either spirits or beer—the names are almost without exception intermediate agents—by them and not by the manufacturers is the presence of foreign compounds to be accounted for.

Yours, faithfully, W. S. M.

Brewer's Essence of Jamaica Ginger, an approved tonic for indigestion, and [illegible] pains in the stomach, dyspepsia and flatulency, and a valuable remedy for colic, cholera morbus, colds, chills, and diarrhoea. This essence of Jamaica ginger is a stimulant acting gently on the stomach, warming and soothing the whole system. Burnett's Cocoaine is the best and cheapest hair-dressing in the world. [illegible] allays irritation, and promotes a vigorous and healthy growth [illegible] the hair. Barton, Moxham, and Co. [illegible]

THE AUDITOR-GENERAL'S ANNUAL REPORT.

The following is the ninth annual report of the Auditor-General on the Treasurer's statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and other moneys, for the year 1879:—

"In transmitting the Treasurer's statements of receipts and expenditure for the year 1879, in accordance with the directions contained in the 38th section of the Audit Act of 1870, I do myself the honour to accompany them with the following report:—

"2. The statements were received on the 30th March, and were returned to the Treasury on the 1st ultimo, for the consideration of such amendments as the audit had shown to be required. They were returned to me, with the necessary corrections or with satisfactory explanation, on the 2nd instant.

"3. Similar delay to that which has attended the passing of the Appropriation Act for several years past is observable in the appropriation for the year 1879. The Appropriation Act for the year 1875 was passed in August, 1875; for the year 1876 was past in August, 1876; for the year 1877 was passed in October, 1877; for the year 1878 was passed in May, 1878; for the year 1879 was passed in July, 1879. The exigencies of the public service were met by monthly supply bills up to the month of July, appropriating a total sum of £3,219,493, subject for the most part to any reduction that might be made in the votes under the annual Appropriation Act. The inconveniences arising from the state of uncertainty in which this delay involves the public departments can only be adequately appreciated by those upon whose shoulders the onus of carrying on the administrative details of the Government is placed. Nor does the evil end here, for the delay is productive of absolute loss. Increase in the expenditure is the natural result of hurried work, and contractors know well how to take advantage of the departments that are pushed to the very last extremity to get their invitations for tenders out and their contracts signed before the expiration of the limited time allowed to them by the Audit Act.

"4. Were the determination come to to provide for the wants of the service before the close of the previous year, it seems to me that the 'advance' vote to the Treasurer, which has reached the large sum of £[illegible]00,000, would no longer be required, for its employment is for the most part in the way of advances to meet claims that have received no Parliamentary sanction. The advance in the first instance was the offspring of the delay in passing the Appropriation Act, and would naturally shrink to much smaller proportions, if it did not disappear altogether, upon a return to timely supply.

"5. In 1877 the passing of the Appropriation Act for the services of that year having been delayed till near the middle of the month of October, it was deemed necessary to make exceptional provision for prolonging the life of the votes beyond the time allowed by the Audit Act. The expedient was adopted of tacking a clause to the Appropriation Act, which enacts that 'No appropriation included in this Act shall lapse until the 31st day of December, 1878.' The 17th clause of the Audit Act was by this means defeated, and a similar course has been pursued with the appropriations of the two following years. I would very respectfully venture to suggest, for the consideration of your honorable House, that whilst it may provide a remedy for some of the inconveniences consequent upon tardy supply, its continuance as a fixed provision of the Appropriation Act is not unlikely to produce disturbance in the public accounts of a more serious nature than the inconvenience its presence is intended to remove. There will be delay instead of promptitude. The adjustment of advances will be prolonged, and that prompt finality in the audit and rendering of the accounts of the expenditure of its votes to Parliament, which it is the object of the Audit Act to secure, will in a great measure be defeated.

"6. Taking advantage of the authority given to me by the 39th section of the Audit Act, I would venture to submit the following suggestions for consideration, with a view to the simplification of the system hitherto pursued in dealing with the annual votes. The distinction maintained between payment for 'arrears' and 'current services' appears to me to answer no good purpose, and should be abandoned. The votes should be taken to meet the probable actual payments within the financial year, irrespective of date of service, thus extending the principle already adopted in a few of the services—notably the Survey—to all the ordinary and regularly recurring departmental expenditure. The adoption of a uniform system which treats the receipts and payments within the financial year as the basis of appropriations and of the accounts laid before Parliament would greatly reduce the number of figures in the annual statements, and facilitate the record and audit of the public accounts. It would remove the difficulties which attend a strict interpretation of the 17th section of the Audit Act, and it would give freer scope to the application of unused balances under the 18th section of the same Act.

"7. With regard to unused balances for public works which are specially excepted from the operation of the 18th section, as well as for any special service of an occasional character, a plan could readily be devised in consonance with the principle advocated, whereby the life of the vote could be prolonged to any fixed time, when if not operated upon it would fall to be treated as ways and means, and the amount reappropriated as Parliament might direct.

"8. The Imperial practice agrees in principle with the plan I have sketched out. The 24th section of the 'Exchequer and Audit Departments Act of 1866' is couched in the following terms, expressing clearly the course adopted in the appropriation accounts of the United Kingdom which is now advocated for this colony:—'An appropriation account of supply grants shall exhibit on the charge side thereof the sum or sums appropriated by Parliament for the service of the financial year to which the account relates, and on the discharge side thereof the sums which may have actually come in course of payment within the same period; and no imprest or advance, of the application of which an account may not have been rendered to and allowed by the Accounting Department, shall be included on the discharge side thereof.'

"9. A similar principle has been applied to the accounts of the colony of Victoria for the last seven years. By an Act passed in the year 1872 (36 Vic. No. 425) it is provided that 'from and after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, no sum or sums of money which is, are, or shall be appropriated from the Consolidated Revenue for the service of any financial year shall be issued and applied except for such services and purposes as shall come in course of payment during the year for which such appropriation is or shall be made.' The financial year closes on the 30th of June in Victoria, and in their report on the accounts for the last year the Commissioners of Audit, when animadverting on the misuse of the Treasurer's advance, and the improper manipulation of the Treasury balances, take occasion to say that, in their opinion, fifteen months would be the best limit to the life of a vote, thus agreeing with the term fixed by the Audit Act of New South Wales. They say that 'the revenue accounts of each year should be closed at the 30th of June, and expenditure for the year should then cease to be incurred, but liabilities then actually outstanding might be paid during three months longer, when the votes and all warrants and orders depending upon them should finally lapse, and transfers and journal entries should cease.' It is understood that all accounts actually in course of payment, that is to say which have been rendered to and allowed by the accounting departments, are included on the discharge side of the accounts, but not otherwise. I may add that there is a bill now before the Parliament of Victoria to carry out this view of the Audit Commissioners.

"10. In my report on the accounts for 1878, clause 12, attention was drawn to an overcharge by the Bank of New South Wales for commission on certain payments made in London under the banking agreement of 1876. That agreement, clause 5, authorizes a charge of one half per cent. on the half-yearly payment of interest on the public debt, and of one quarter per cent. on the principal sum of debentures paid off, and also on all payments involving verification of accounts or the transmission to the colony of documentary evidence or vouchers. The bank has persistently charged one-half per cent. on this latter class of payments, and it will be seen by the statement given in the appendix, marked A, that the amount claimed from the bank, as in excess, up to the end of 1879 reached £3504 5s. 3d. My last communication from the Treasury, under date 15th April, states that the Treasurer is in correspondence with the bank on the subject.

"11. I have further to submit a statement of payments charged in the bank sheets of the London branch of the Bank of New South Wales, which have not been adjusted in the Sydney account at the Treasury for want of Parliamentary appropriation, or otherwise of funds to which they could be charged. The total sum is £12,567 3s. 2d., being interest on special advances made in London to 30th June, 1879.

"12. In the course of the examination of the accounts of the Council of Education it was found that there had been carried to the credit of the vote an amount allowed by the bank for interest on deposits. As it appeared to me that this properly belonged to the consolidated revenue, I took exception to it on the ground that the expenditure under the vote would thereby be in excess of the Parliamentary appropriation. The Colonial Treasurer and the Minister of Justice and Public Instruction concurring in my view, the sum of £1432 2s. 3d. was recovered and paid into the Treasury.

"13. It is necessary that I should report the passing under the authority of the Governor and Executive Council of the several payments without proper vouchers, which will be found in a schedule appended to this report marked C. It needs not that these should be separately noticed here. In some of the cases it was found impossible to obtain written vouchers duly certified or acquitted, owing to the death of the accounting officer, or the removal of the recipient, whilst in others the vouchers had been lost or destroyed, and it was found impossible to replace them. The sanction, therefore, of the Governor and Executive Council, under the authority of the 31st section of the Audit Act, was sought in order that the accounts might be closed, it having been previously ascertained in each case, as far as it was possible, that the sums specified had been properly disbursed, and that the disallowance could not otherwise be removed.

"14. The usual schedule of Transfers of Surplus Balances of Grants under the authority of the 18th section of the Audit Act, which have from time to time been specially reported to your honorable House, will be found in the appendix marked D.

"15. Obstacles having arisen in many instances to the passing of vouchers through the absence of proper authority for the acquittances, I felt it to be my duty to seek the advice of the Attorney-General on the question of the Auditor-General's personal [illegible] in connection with accounts paid through banks or agents in cases unsupported by the authority of the principals. The opinion of Mr. Attorney-General Windeyer, which, with copy of the case put, is submitted in the appendix marked E, quiets the doubts I had entertained on that score; and it is now deemed sufficient for the examiners to be satisfied with evidence of the exhibition of the authority at the Treasury, unless the amount be very large, in which case the production of the authority is deemed advisable.

"16. A question was referred to me by the Treasurer in connection with Mr. C. A. Thurlow, of the Lands Department, to a pension under schedule B of the Constitution Act. Mr. Thurlow entered the service in the year 1857, and it had been held that schedule B was closed to services rendered subsequent to the introduction of the Constitution Act. I therefore reported adversely to the claim. Upon reference, however, to the Attorney-General, that officer, combating the view which had previously obtained, declared in favour of Mr. Thurlow's claim. As this opinion opened the door to subsequent claimants whose period of service did not reach beyond or even up to the limits of Mr. Thurlow's, I have thought it right to point attention to it in this report.

"17. Mr. C. E. Phillips, also of the Lands Department, having been repaid the deductions from his salary under the Superannuation Act of 1864, claimed to have a pension granted him under Schedule B of the Constitution Act. This also was referred for the opinion of Mr. Attorney-General Windeyer, on the point whether the return of his contributions invalidated the claim. The opinion in this case was in favour of the applicant, who died, however, before he could take advantage of it. The wording of the proviso to section 9 of the Superannuation Repeal Act of 1873 had led to the supposition that the refund of deductions barred a claim to pension. Mr. Attorney-General Windeyer, however, shows that whatever bar it might be to a claim under the Superannuation Act of 1864, it could be none whatever to a claim under the Imperial Act. The words of the statute are—'Provided always that no such deductions shall be refunded to any person to whom any pension, gratuity, or payment shall have been or be granted or made under this or any Imperial or the said repealed Act, and that no pension, gratuity, or payment under this Act shall be granted or made to any person to whom any such deductions shall have been or shall be refunded as aforesaid.' Nevertheless, under this opinion the claims of the officers, who have retired upon the Schedule B Fund, to the return of the deductions made from their salaries under the Superannuation Act of 1864, have been admitted.

"18. It is my duty to report under the directions contained in the 36th section of the Audit Act, the following instances of defalcation in the accounts of the officers named:—Mr. W. Mayne, acting telegraph stationmaster at Vegetable Creek, was found to have short remitted collections to the amount of £10 11s. 8d., and to have appropriated a sum of 18s. sent to him to pay an account, making £11 9s. 8d. There were, however, vouchers in Mayne's favour to the value of £9 13s. 8d., reducing the deficiency to £1 16s. J. Sheehan, sheep inspector at Gundagai, was proceeded against for the alleged embezzlement of certain fees under the Diseases in Sheep Amendment Act, but evidence to the satisfaction of the jury was not forthcoming to secure a conviction. Deficiencies have lately been brought to light in the accounts of the Prisons Department, and Mr. W. G. Beverley, the late Deputy Controller, has pleaded guilty to the embezzlement of two sums of money, viz.:—£40 2s. 6d., paid to him by the Roads Department for prison labour, Goulburn gaol, and £38 for salaries, Bathurst gaol. I am not yet informed to what further extent this officer's peculations have been brought to light.

"19. In the appendix will be found a statement of unadjusted advances at the close of the year, exhibiting the amounts outstanding, and the names of the officers or departments responsible for their adjustment; and in addition to this I append statement of surcharges recovered upon the accounts of expenditure by public accountants, and upon the accounts of collectors of public revenue. The sums recovered are: Upon expenditure accounts, £1047 12s. 10d.; upon revenue accounts, £1053 11s. 4d.: total, £2101 4s. 2d. The sum of £7[illegible] 9s. 2d., shown as recovered upon pre-emptive lease rents of Crown lands, is made up of a very large number of small sums, and has resulted from a most laborious investigation into the lease rental accounts, which were found to have drifted into an almost hopeless state of confusion.

"20. In connection with these statements I feel bound to bring under the notice of your honorable House the impediments in the way of prompt audit, caused by the negligence and inattention of some of the public accountants and certifying officers. It has been held that owing to a defect in the wording of clause 29 of the Audit Act it is not competent for the Auditor-General to raise, nor for the Colonial Treasurer to enforce, a surcharge until after the Audit Office queries and observations have been answered and further accounts and explanations have been rendered. Under this ruling it is obvious that a negligent officer has only to lay the Audit Office queries and observations on one side to render this important clause of the Act, in such cases, inoperative. A notable instance of this kind may be adduced where, as I have been informed, a Treasury inspector found seventy-two unopened queries in the office of the late Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions. Another instance may be cited of a Returning Officer in whose favour an advance was made by the Treasury in the year 1877 to defray election expenses. The usual reminders, that accounts in adjustment of this advance had not been received and were required, were forwarded to this officer from month to month without the smallest effect, and they have remained to this day utterly unnoticed. These are not the only instances of the neglect I have adverted to, but they are sufficient to afford to your honorable House an idea of the impediments met with in the audit of the public accounts, where the certifying officers are negligent, obstructive, or dishonest.

"21. I append a schedule of payments made without warrants, and disallowed in the Treasurer's accounts. Certificates of discharge have been issued to the Treasurer for each month of the year, excepting the month of October. In that month occur three payments out of the Treasurer's advance account, for which no vouchers have been as yet furnished. The entries in the cash sheets show the payments charged to be:—G. Wakeford, £[illegible]; J. Young, £247 14s. 10d.; Exhibition Commissioners, £1000. I have not yet been enabled to certify for the month of June, 1878, for the reason given in my report on the accounts for that year. The necessary information is still wanting.

"22. The usual statements of the receipt and expenditure under the Registration of Brands and Public Abattoirs Act, which are not separately shown in the Treasurer's statements are given in the appendix.

"23. I have to report that the accounts of the Government Savings Bank for the past year have been examined and certified, and that the bullion accounts of the Sydney branch of the Royal Mint have undergone the usual examination.

"24. A specification of the net liabilities of the Consolidated Revenue Fund proper for 1879, so far as appropriated to the end of the year, will be found under appendix K, in continuation of similar returns furnished with previous reports.

"25. Subject to the foregoing observations it only remains for me to certify that the statements herewith forwarded are found to agree with the accounts furnished to me under the provisions of the Audit Act.

"C. Rolleston, Auditor-General."

"Department of Audit, Sydney, 6th July, 1880.

THE CITY CORPORATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—While Mr. Alderman J. D. Young is to be admired for his candour, he cannot be complimented upon his logic, his knowledge of Corporation affairs, or upon his financial skill.

He frankly admits that he was returned to the Council as a new Alderman under the pledge to his constituents to reduce the hours of labour of the Corporation employés, but fails to show that no increase of wages has been made. Surely it requires no great knowledge of arithmetic to prove that a reduction of hours from ten to eight, even on the old scale of pay, is practically paying twenty per cent. more money—in other words, the same amount of work cannot be performed to-day as before Mr. Young redeemed his pledge and carried his eight hours' motion.

The alderman tells us "the most illiterate Corporation labourer knows that the Council has decided in future to perform all its work under the contract system." Where, then I ask, is the value of the eight-hours' motion to the Corporation employés? except it be for the purpose of coercing the future contractor only to employ his servant for eight hours. And if the contractor be so coerced, is it not evident the work so performed must be charged for a larger increase on what it needs otherwise cost—of course at the expense of the ratepayers?

Mr. Young either does not understand Corporation finance, or he is throwing dust in the eyes of the citizens. He tells us the loss to the citizens cannot be £15,000 to £20,000 a year, as I have asserted, "because the cost of labour in the control of the aldermen does not amount to that sum." But figures and facts are curious things to controvert; and if Mr. Young will examine the Corporation sheets he will find that at the present time the Corporation is expending, for day labour alone, at the rate of about £80,000 per annum!

Now, it is estimated the income of the Council under the new scale of rates will be about £100,000 per annum, leaving but a very narrow margin for interest, material, and staff salaries, which, whatever happens, must be paid, and it will then be seen, despite the increased rates, how little will be left for practically useful works.

I again say to the ratepayers, beware! The remedy for the evil being in their own hands, it depends upon them whether the Corporation is to exist, for certainly under the present régime its days are numbered.

AN OLD RATEPAYER.

Taylor Brothers' Maravilla Cocoa.—Taylor Brothers London, having the exclusive supply of this unrivalled Cocoa, invite comparison with any other Cocoa for Purity, fine Aroma, Sanative, Nutritive, and Sustaining Power. One trial will establish it as a favourite Beverage for breakfast, luncheon, and a Soothing Refreshment after a late evening. For favourable opinions, vide *Standard, Morning Post, British Medical Journal, &c., &c.* Taylor Brothers' Homœopathic Cocoa.—This original preparation, which has attained such a world-wide reputation, is manufactured by Taylor Brothers, under the ablest homœopathic advice, aided by the skill and experience of the inventors, and will be found to combine in an eminent degree the purity, fine aroma, and nutritious property of the fresh nut. Taylor Brothers' Soluble Chocolate is made in one minute without boiling. Taylor Brothers' Maravilla Cocoa Essence or Pure Soluble Cocoa.—This exquisite production will amply supply a want long felt by cocoa drinkers, namely, a perfectly genuine article, free from admixture of any kind—nourishing, refreshing, and grateful to the palate. In ½-lb. tins. Taylor Brothers' Chicory.—Manufactured from the finest Belgian Root. In 28 and 56-lb. tins. Steam Mills, Brick Lane, London. Export Chicory Mills, Bruges, Belgium.—Adv.

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LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—Friday, August 6.

SITTINGS FOR CAUSES.

Banco Court.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* Windeyer *and a jury of four.*)

AMOS AND ANOTHER V. THE COMMISSIONER FOR RAILWAYS.

Mr. M. H. Stephen, Q.C.; Mr. Darley, Q.C., and Mr. C. J. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Allen and Allen, appeared for the plaintiffs. The Attorney-General, Mr. Simpson, Mr. Rogers, and Mr. C. B. Stephen, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared for the defendant.

This was an action brought by Messrs. Amos, Brothers, which arose out of the contract to construct a railway from Yass to Cootamundra.

The jury was sworn; one of the jurors was then withdrawn by the plaintiffs, as the matter in dispute had been settled.

HINCHCLIFFE V. WEST.

Jury: Messrs. Albert Palmer, John Gould, George Wells, and William Street.

Mr. Darley, Q.C., and Mr. C. J. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Allen and Allen, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Pilcher, instructed by Messrs. Coonan, Ryan, and Dunn, appeared for the defendant.

This was an action brought by Andrew Hinchcliffe, to recover from Alfred West a sum of money due under a mortgage—£330 and interest; making, in all, £407 0s. 1d. The defendant pleaded that the plaintiff had agreed to take one James Ousby in place of the defendant, and had released and discharged the defendant from the payment of the debt.

The defendant admitted that the sum of £330 had been advanced to him by Mr. Hinchcliffe in three sums of £250, £50, and £30. Evidence in support of the plea was then given. It appeared that the plaintiff had advanced moneys to the defendant, the repayment being secured by a mortgage. He also advanced moneys to James Ousby on a similar security. The plaintiff received a letter from the defendant that Ousby had just sold 800 of his sheep, with 600 of the defendant's, at 10s. 6d.; that Ousby had received bills out of the proceeds, of which he would pay the plaintiff the amount due to him by the defendant; that the plaintiff accepted Ousby in lieu of the defendant, as liable for the debt.

The plaintiff's case in reply was, that he agreed to take payment of the defendant's debt from Ousby, but that he did not expressly, or impliedly, agree to let the defendant off from the debt. Had the amount due by the defendant been paid by Ousby, the defendant would have been credited with the amount paid. As a matter of fact, Ousby not only did not pay any sum for the defendant (though he was charged with it in the plaintiff's books), but did not even pay a large sum of money due by him (Ousby) to the plaintiff. Ousby since sequestrated his estate, and property mortgaged by him to the plaintiff, to secure a sum lent on mortgage and on further advances, was claimed by Ousby's mother.

After counsel's addresses,

His Honor directed the jury that the question for their consideration was, Had the plaintiff agreed to release the defendant from the payment of the debt?

The jury, after retiring for half an hour, returned a verdict for the plaintiff for the amount claimed, £407 0s. 1d.

Jury Court.—(*Before his Honor Sir* William Manning *and a special jury of twelve.*)

CAMPBELL V. THE COMMERCIAL BANKING COMPANY OF SYDNEY.

Jury: Messrs. George Beard, John M'Coy, Alfred Elobert Pullen, Walter Christie, Andrew Fitzgerald, John Harris, Thomas Aitken, William Christie, David Robinson Gale, David Cotton, William Gaydon, and Thomas Forbes.

Mr. Foster, Mr. Pilcher, and Mr. Tarleton, instructed by Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald, appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. M. H. Stephen, Q.C., Mr. Darley, Q.C., Mr. Owen, and Sir George Innes, instructed by Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Want, appeared for the defendants.

This was an action brought by John Campbell, to recover damages (£10,000) from the Commercial Bank for selling, as mortgagees, without legal notice and demand, certain wharf property in Sydney, mortgaged by the plaintiff to the bank.

At the close of the plaintiff's case the counsel for the bank moved for a nonsuit, which his Honor refused.

The defendants' case will be commenced on Monday morning.

In Equity.—(*Before his Honor Mr. Justice* Hargrave, *Primary Judge.*)

His Honor disposed of a number of matters in Chambers.

QUIGLEY V. QUIGLEY.

This was a motion, on notice, for the continuance of an *interim* injunction, granted on the 30th of June, till the hearing and for the appointment of Mr. Alexander Brown, of Newcastle, as a receiver in the estate. It appeared that the plaintiff, Margaret Scott Quigley, was the daughter of the late Mr. James Mitchell, who died in February, 1860, and was entitled to a share in the residuary real and personal estate of her father. Subsequently to the death of her father she married William Ball Quigley, since dead. By a settlement made in 1871, the share and interest of the plaintiff in the estate of her late father was settled on the plaintiff and her husband for life, with remainder to the survivor for life. Mr. C. A. Stevens was the trustee of the settlement, and acted till March, 1878, when the defendant, Patrick Quigley, was duly appointed by the plaintiff and her then husband, who died in March, 1879. The plaintiff thereupon became entitled to the income of the estate, which the defendant, notwithstanding repeated demands, declined to pay, alleging that the expenses exceeded the income, but did not account. A number of affidavits were filed by either party, but were not read in open court.

Mr. Gordon and Mr. Dawson, instructed by Messrs. John Dawson and Son, agents for Messrs. Mullen and Baker, appeared for the plaintiff. Mr. Owen and Mr. C. B. Stephen, instructed by Messrs. Want, Johnson, and Want, appeared for the defendant.

His Honor was of opinion, after having carefully considered the affidavits, that the plaintiff had made out a clear case for a Court of Equity to interfere and remove the trustee, who had failed to account for the income of the estate. The affidavits filed on behalf of the defendant were no answer. His Honor would make an order to continue the injunction till the hearing, and to appoint Mr. A. Brown as receiver in the estate also till the hearing.

All further considerations and costs reserved.

PARKER V. HORNIMAN AND OTHERS.

On the motion of Mr. Owen, this injunction motion was postponed, to allow the plaintiff time to consider and, if necessary, answer affidavits filed in answer.

EVERSHED AND OTHERS V. HODSON.

On the motion of Mr. Owen, his Honor continued the *interim* injunction in this matter till the hearing.

The following gentlemen were each fined 40s. for not attending as jurors in the Banco Court:—Messrs. John Pope, J.P., Ashfield; James Meiklejohn, commission agent, Glebe; Samuel A. Joseph, merchant, Macleay-street, Sydney.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—Friday.

(*Before the* Chief Commissioner.)

In the matter of William John Livingston, a third meeting. One debt was ordered to stand over for date of credit. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of John Thomas Burrowes, a third meeting. Eight debts were proved. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of William Henry Tippett, a third meeting. Five debts were proved. On the motion of Mr. Jaques, the insolvent was allowed his furniture and wearing apparel, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of William Davis, jun., a third meeting. One debt was proved. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of Charles Henry May, jun., a single meeting. Insolvent did not desire to amend his schedule, which was true and correct in every particular, to the best of his knowledge and belief. No debts were proved. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of Solomon William Polack, a single meeting. Insolvent's schedule was true and correct in every particular, and he did not desire to add to or amend it. No debts were proved. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of Richard Child Howie, a single meeting. Insolvent did not attend. Report lodged, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of William Eland, a single meeting. Insolvent did not desire to amend his schedule, which was true and correct in every particular, to the best of his knowledge and belief. In reply to a question by his Honor, insolvent stated that he was formerly a surveyor under the Government, but was now out of employment, his services having been dispensed with. No debts were proved against the estate. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of William Church, a first meeting. Two debts were proved, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of Thomas Hardy and James Murray, an adjourned third meeting, the matter was ordered to stand over until the 27th instant.

In the matter of Thomas Reeves, a single meeting. Insolvent did not attend; and on the application of Mr. Rogers, who desired to examine the insolvent on behalf of a creditor in the estate, the matter was adjourned until the 27th instant.

In the matter of James Little, an adjourned third meeting. Six debts were proved. On the motion of Mr. Russell, the insolvent was allowed his personal effects, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of Frank Pyvius Hillier, a single meeting. One debt was proved. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

In the matter of Elizabeth Palser, a special meeting for proof of debt. The matter was ordered to stand over until the 20th August.

In the matter of John Ryan and Michael White, a third meeting. One claim was entered. No directions were given, and the meeting was terminated.

SURRENDERS.

Thomas Carbines, of Reid's Creek, Mossgiel, carpenter. Liabilities, £252 12s. Assets, £14. Mr. Lyons, official assignee.

Alexander Snedden, of Tamworth, labourer. Liabilities, £54 7s. Assets, £2. Mr. Sandeman, official assignee.

[In our report of the case of Shepherd v. Dibbs, yesterday, it was represented that Mr. James Barr, four, manager of the Oriental Bank Corporation, had a certain promise in writing from Mr. T. A. Dibbs. That promise, according to the evidence, was merely a verbal one, and was not in writing.]

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Friday.

(*Before his Honor Mr. District Court Judge* Dowling.)

The sittings of the Court of Quarter Sessions were continued at the Darlinghurst Courthouse, yesterday. Mr. P. J. Healy again acted as Crown Prosecutor.

SENTENCING PRISONERS.

Alicia Downes, convicted on the previous day of larceny, was ordered to be imprisoned in Darlinghurst gaol for the period of two months; *Antonio Chase* and *Joseph Chase*, who were found guilty on the previous day of stealing a boat, were sentenced—the former to nine months' and the latter to six months' hard labour in Darlinghurst gaol.

INDECENT ASSAULT.

William Maguire pleaded not guilty to a charge of indecently assaulting a girl 13 years of age, named Edith Pilbean, at Sydney, on April 11 last, and was defended by Mr. J. Lowe. This case was tried at the last sittings of the Court of Quarter Sessions, when the jury were unable to agree, and it was accordingly brought forward again. After hearing the evidence, which is unfit for publication, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged.

FALSE PRETENCES.

Ah Lee was called upon to answer a charge of obtaining from Ah Sue and Ah Ping respectively, on May 15, at Sydney, the sum of £1 5s. by false pretences. On arraignment the prisoner pleaded not guilty, being defended by Sir George Innes and Mr. Irving, who were instructed by Mr. J. Lowe; while Mr. Healy and Mr. J. H. Want conducted the prosecution in the case. This case arose out of the late prosecution of the Chinese gamblers in Goulburn-street, and it was alleged by the witnesses for the prosecution that the prisoner went to the prosecutors, who had been fined as members of the gang, and represented that he had been sent by the police to collect the fines that had been inflicted upon them, and believing that they paid him the money. For the defence, it was contended that the charge was a trumped up one, and that it was the result of a conspiracy on the part of the Chinese concerned in the gambling case. A number of witnesses as to character, consisting of many of the most prominent Chinese merchants in Sydney, were called for the purpose of showing that the defendant had, for sixteen or eighteen years past, borne a very high character for honesty and trustworthiness. After Sir George Innes had addressed the jury, pointing out that there were motives for the prosecution which might easily be understood, His Honor summed up the evidence, and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the defendant was discharged.

The rest of the cases were postponed, and the Court adjourned at 5.45 o'clock.

POLICE.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

Yesterday, the Police Magistrate was assisted on the criminal side by Messrs. Jolly, Reading, Skarratt, Thomas, and Guy; and on the summons side by Messrs. Ridge, J. W. Withers, Hourigan, Barden, and T. J. Chapman.

Hugh O'Brien and *James Goodfellow*, charged with having assaulted Susan O'Brien, pleaded guilty, and were severally sentenced to pay 20s. penalty, or to be imprisoned seven days.

Nicholas Tobias Jacobson was charged with larceny. Robert Jennet Archer, a mute, deposed (through the interpretation of Samuel Watson) that about 1 a.m. of the 1st August, the prisoner took him from the Cambridge Club Hotel to his house, No. 2, Macquarie-street, and pointed to a sofa, on which, after undressing, he (witness) lay down, and fell asleep; in his trousers pocket he had three Bank of New South Wales £1-notes and some silver money, in his vest pocket a knife, and in his coat pocket two plugs of tobacco; he saw prisoner take his clothes into another room, and bring them back; in the morning he missed the money, the knife, and the tobacco; he (witness) went to the Cambridge Hotel for a bed, where he saw prisoner, and communicated with him in writing; the prisoner replied in writing that he would give him a shake-down, and took him to his house. Constable Port deposed that prosecutor complained to him in writing, and he went with him to prisoner's house; a woman named Ebown opened the door, and said "I suppose you have come for the money," and handed to him two half-crowns; when prisoner himself came he denied having seen the prosecutor. Constable O'Connor produced a knife he found in prisoner's house, and prosecutor identified it as the knife that had been taken from his pocket. Committed for trial. Bail allowed, with two sureties in £20 each for his appearance at the Quarter Sessions.

In the Summons Court a number of persons were fined in sums varying from 2s. 6d. to 20s. for offences against the Police, Vagrant, and Drunkards Acts.

Licensing Business.—In addition to the Justices already on the Bench on the summons' side the following gentlemen came in for the licensing business:—Messrs. Stanley, O'Connor, Harwood, Alexander, Smith, Henderson, and Lowther. A pawnbroker's license was granted to William Scott. John Palmer was allowed to remove his publican's license from Darlington to Rose Hill-street, Redfern; and William Brix to remove from Kent-street, Sydney, to Alexandria. Four publicans' licenses were transferred:—John Telfer to Thomas Walsh, John Hanks to John Townsend, Michael Hennan to Thomas Barrett, and Timothy Curley to Charles M'Guire.

WATER POLICE COURT.

Yesterday the Bench in the Charge Court was occupied by Messrs. Fowler (in the chair), Goodridge, Hunt, Lester, and Arguimbau. The business was small and of no public importance.

In the Summons Court, Messrs. Penfold, Lester, and others disposed of a number of cases in which the defendants were charged with breaches of the Transit Commissioners' by-laws, and fines from 5s. to £1 inflicted. Inspector Oram prosecuted.

Inspector Seymour prosecuted in thirty-six cases. In fourteen of these the summonses were withdrawn, as the defendants had abated the nuisances previous to the cases coming before the Court. Mary Dwyer, William Singleton, Henry Dignum, and John Lapraick were each fined £2 and 5s. costs, for keeping unclean premises; eleven others were fined 10s. each and 5s. costs, for driving across the intersections of streets at a pace faster than a walk. In two cases the summonses were not served, and in the remainder the defendants were fined 5s. each and costs 5s.—two for casting rubbish on to the public street, and two for driving vehicles without lights.

Licensing Business.—Messrs. Bird (in the chair), Parkes, and Cooke, J.P., were on the bench. Neal Kell applied to have his license for the Forth of Clyde Hotel, Balmain, transferred to John Sale, and, there being no objection, the application was granted. The license of the White Hart Hotel was transferred from John Vain to Henry Tipper, and that of the Manly Beach Hotel from E. Crook to Henry Skinner, there being no objection in either case. Charles D. Waldron applied to have the license of the Carlton Hotel, Oxford-street, transferred to John Clinch. Mr. Ashdown appeared for the applicant. The police objected to the application being granted, on the ground that the said John Clinch has held several licenses lately, and his frequent appearance in Court as transferrer or transferee had been noted; also, that the business was not intended for Clinch himself, but for an ex-publican whose license had been refused at the recent annual licensing meeting. The clerk pointed out that under the Act 25 Victoria, No. 14, section 23, the Bench had no jurisdiction in this case, which would have to be heard before a special meeting of the Licensing Bench, at which it would be necessary to summon every magistrate in the district. The case was accordingly postponed till Tuesday next.

Special auctioneers' licenses were granted to Messrs. G. F. Want and Murray Davis, and a hawker's license to Jane Ewing.

A temporary extension was granted to David Stratton for the Association Ground to-morrow (Saturday).

NEWTOWN POLICE COURT.

Yesterday Mr. J. Pemell, J.P., was on the bench.

In a case Beer v. Edwards, wilful damage to trees, defendant was ordered to pay 20s. and costs, 5s. 10d., or go to gaol for 14 days.

In the cases Howard v. Howard and Ponton v. Ponton, maintenance, orders were made for 4s. and 6s. per week for 12 months respectively.

The other business was unimportant.

An Asian King's Letter to Edwin Arnold.—Mr. Edwin Arnold, whose poem, "The Light of Asia," has passed through two editions here and eight in America, has received the following letter from the King of Siam, together with his Majesty's order of the White Elephant:—"Grand Palace, Bangkok, December 5, 1879. Sir,—My father devoted much time to the study and defence of his religion, and although I, being called to the throne while young, had no time to become a scholar like him, I, too, have interested myself in the study of the Sacred Books, and take a great interest in defending our religion and having it properly understood. It seems to me that if Europeans believe the missionary preaching that ours is a foolish and bad religion, they must also believe that we are a foolish and bad people. I therefore feel much gratitude to those who, like yourself, teach Europeans to hold our religion in respect. I thank you for the copy of your poem, 'The Light of Asia,' presented to me through my minister in London. I am not a sufficiently good scholar to judge English poetry, but as your work is based upon the similar sources to our own information, I can read it through with very much pleasure, and I can say that your poem, 'The Light of Asia,' is the most eloquent defence of Buddhism that has yet appeared, and is full of beautiful poetry; but I like Book the second very much, and am very much interested in the final sermon. I have no doubt that our learned men would argue with you for hours or for years, as every [illegible] I can see that some of your ideas are not quite the same as ours. But I think that in showing 'love' to have been the eminent characteristic of the Lord Buddha, and Karma, in Siamese 'Kam,' the result of the inevitable law of Dharma, the principle of existence, you have taught Buddhism, and I may thank you for having made a European [illegible] Buddhist speak beautifully in the most widespread language of the world. To mark my opinion of your good feeling towards Eastern peoples, and my appreciation of your high ability and the service you have done to all Buddhists by the defence of their religion, I have much satisfaction in appointing you an officer of our most exalted Order of the White Elephant, of which you will soon hear further from Mr. D. K. Mason, my Consul-General in London. I am yours faithfully, Chulalongkorn, King. To Edwin Arnold, Esq., C.S.I., &c."—*Athenæum.*

A PLEA FOR THE SHOPWOMEN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your article in this morning's paper, headed "A Plea for Shopwomen," is exciting a good deal of discussion in the drapery trade. We knew nothing of a visit to our establishment until we saw our name in the article alluded to; consequently, whatever information your reporter obtained was from the right quarter—the employés themselves. You will now, perhaps, permit us to say a few words on this question. We consider seats behind the counter quite secondary to that of shortening the hours of labour, and venture to affirm that would be the unanimous opinion of the employés in all shops, both male and female; there are, however, two great impediments in certain classes of trade to early closing, viz., the habit of those who clamour the loudest for the eight hour system, the mechanical or working classes, who invariably do their shopping after six at night, and apparently have little or no consideration for young men and young women employed in shops, and the indifference displayed by those who have short hours and the Saturday half holiday towards those, less fortunate than themselves, employed in similar establishments.

We herewith enclose a letter clipped from *The Queen* newspaper of June 5th, evidently from one of a class you are endeavouring to benefit. We shall be glad if you will insert it.—Yours, &c.,

PEAPES AND SHAW.

"SEATS BEHIND THE COUNTER.

"Referring to your article of last week on the suicide of the poor girl Mary Williams, I, on behalf of my fellow-assistants (some ninety or one hundred in number) in this house, beg the favour of being allowed to make a few remarks thereon.

"While thanking you for your powerful advocacy of our cause, we venture to point out that the remedy you suggest—viz., 'seats behind the counter'—would in the majority of cases be utterly out of the question, as in many establishments there is no room for seats.

"What we require is less hours. Business might be done quite as well if compressed into shorter hours. We want 7 o'clock in the summer evenings, 6 in the winter, and 2 on Saturdays, which would allow time for proper recreation necessary for health.

"Instead of a 'black mark' being put against shops that do not provide seats, we would suggest that a 'black mark' should rather be put against ladies who make a point of crowding in as the shutters are coming down, particularly on Saturdays, which is our only chance of getting out for an hour or two in the evening.

"Let us ask your readers to inquire particularly as to what time the shop closes, and make a mark of that in their memory, so as to enable them to come in time, and thus prevent us young ladies being detained by late shopping.

"As to putting down drapers' assistants in a body as poor and helpless, it is a great mistake, and must be the idea of one who is thoroughly unacquainted with the trade, as we can afford to be as independent a class as any.

"In the case of the poor girl Mary Williams, it is hardly fair to conclude that all houses are the same. If ladies would only take more interest in the lower class trades, and try to influence the hard governors to lessen their long hours of business, and give their assistants good living, we feel sure that they would greatly benefit themselves by so doing.

"2 and 3, Sidney-place, W. S. E."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In your issue of to-day appears an article from your reporter headed "A Plea for the Shopwomen."

I fully agree with him in many of the proposals there put forward, especially as to the shortening of the hours of labour in many of the business houses in this city; but as regards having seats behind the counter for young ladies, I consider that impracticable. The young ladies in my employ are in the showroom only, and at all times, when not engaged either serving customers or straightening and assorting stock, can, and always have had, the privilege of resting, and, to my knowledge, that privilege has never been abused.

On seeing the article referred to this morning, I made inquiries and found a lady had visited us, who, on entering, asked to be shown some article of millinery, and after looking at some goods said to the young lady who was waiting upon her, "I do not want to buy, I only want to ask you privately (as some employers do not like my going round) whether you have anything to complain of." She was answered, "No, I have not." She then asked the young lady if she did not complain of the long standing, and if she was allowed to sit down; she answered she could not do so, as the hours were short, and they had the privilege of sitting down occasionally.

I should not trouble you with this but your reporter (with one exception) speaks disparagingly of King-street, and I feel, in justice to myself, I ought to reply. My hours of business are from 9 o'clock in the morning till 6 in the evening, and on Saturdays from 9 till 10 in the evening. Young men have three-quarters of an hour for dinner, and young ladies one hour for same, and three or four have a half-holiday on Saturday, leaving at 1 p.m.

I do not know what is done in London; but I am sure the wiser course here (and I speak after twenty-six years' experience) would be to initiate a movement to close at 6 o'clock on all usual week days and 1 o'clock on Saturdays, and if those hours were the rule, the necessity for sitting during business hours will be done away with.

Yours, respectfully,

80, King-street, August 6. W. C. RENWICK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I meant to reply to "Australie's" letter some time ago, but the many personal cares of life crept in, and the call of duty drowned the desire; however, now, seeing that you have taken the matter in hand by having a special reporter to agitate the question, I beg of you space for the publication of this. The human race is naturally and essentially a working one. We have been given the divine power of reasoning, contriving, inventing; even, let me say, the divine power of labour. If it was given to mankind as a sort of curse—a punishment for disobedience to his Maker—yet God has mercifully so lessened the curse, in flux of years, to descending generations, that labour becomes to mankind and the world a blessing, a light through the brains, or hands, of our genus. We, none of us, can sit down idly and eat, drink, and be clothed. It becomes then only a question of how we labour. That question is, of course, unequally divided, and many of our fellow-creatures labour beyond their strength, many labour to starve. But it appears to me an unnecessary part of our working classes you are attempting to bring under the notice of the public, while so many more, more grievously and health-forbiddingly worked, do so silently and unnoticed. The shopwomen, as "Australie" and you say, have to stand all day, but you must remember that they do not stand, as a sentry, rigidly in one place; and even then, your special reporter has informed us, they (besides their occasional walk about) have permission and a chair to sit when not engaged. They have also the open door and the sight of changing streets and faces. In the same establishments, in a large back room, sit from scores to hundreds of the future mothers of Australians, bending over sewing or sewing machines, with a spine disease alluring bend. They do not stand, but they sit, with their poor limbs, bodies, and brain cramped and chocked from 8 o'clock in the morning till sometimes 11 o'clock at night. They sit and have not even permission to stand, or otherwise ease their tired frame, under penalty of reproach or check from the eyes of superintendents placed over them. The only change of position and scene from these four weary walls is the walk home and to their work. Now, tell me, which of those two labouring women do you think most in need of change or help? I could give you three more instances of the working classes, where an innovation upon their present work would be benefiting to their health, but fear the length of my letter might lead to your refusal to publish. While so many lives are daily and hourly swamped by our side in the waves of life, so many pure young spirits come out on our streets only to fall (for want of help), into our gutters, worthless, soiled outcasts, so many little neglected children run riot in our midst, it is to me sad that you should let these go by, and take up the cry for a class of women who really are not in need of it, or, comparatively speaking, are well off. Yours, &c.,

JESSICA.

The Empress Eugenie.—The ex-Empress of the French (says the *Cape Times*) experienced fine weather during the whole of her progress through Zululand, and she also enjoyed good health, with the exception of a slight attack of malarious fever incidental to a visit to that part of South Africa. The same paper mentions that there was on board the Trojan, the vessel by which the Empress returned to Europe, the Basuto pony, a fine specimen of his breed, which the Empress rode in Zululand. He is bound for Chislehurst. Regarding the departure of the Empress, which took place on the 6th July, the *Cape Times* says:—"The Empress must have left our shores deeply impressed with the thoughtful consideration of the people of South Africa. She asked of us that she should not be the subject of public demonstration, however kind in its design, or of prying newspaper criticism, or of any of those attentions which she may have expected in many countries. Her wish has been fully obeyed, and the closing scene yesterday of this solemn visit was in accord with all that has been done. At 3 o'clock the Trojan was cleared of visitors. The great steamship was moored in the entrance channel; and the gangway, with its sides covered with the Imperial purple and its flooring carpeted, was placed. The ground was kept by the Royal Engineers; and Colonel Hassard, C.B., the commandant at Cape Town, was in attendance. The crowd on shore was not large, and as the carriage of the Empress drove up hats were respectfully lifted in a silence that was almost profound. The Empress bowed graciously to the right and to the left, and when she stepped on to the deck, and answered the salutation of Captain Travers, she walked across to Mr. Fuller and thanked him for all the kindness he had shown, and for the excellent arrangements which had been made on her behalf. In the few minutes before the vessel left, after the Empress had come on board, the Dean of Cape Town was introduced to her by Sir Bartle Frere, and almost immediately after the Empress embarked Lady Frere and the Governor and party left the steamer Trojan. The steamer at once went to sea, and was escorted out of the bay by H.M.S. Boadicea."

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RAILWAY GUARDS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As a frequent traveller behind the iron horse, I have been brought into contact, and in some cases friendship, with the above body of men, on whose behalf I purpose, with your kind permission, to make a slight protest. In an American paper of recent date, are a series of articles entitled "Head Flashes," written to show what responsibilities and dangers the guards and engineers of railways incur. One paragraph I quote *in extenso*. "When will the travelling public do justice to railroad men? Why will they not realise that but for the devotion to duty of the men they often look down upon with supercilious contempt, to travel by rail with safety would be impossible. A man to whom you trust your safety, comfort, and very life is surely worthy of respect." Of course these remarks apply to America, but even here some railway travellers seem to take a delight in harassing the guard, as if he had nothing better to do than attend to their individual comfort. I sometimes hear complaints against old Brown, for being surly and disobliging, but on tracing the complaint to its foundation, find that old Brown had simply refused to commit a breach of his discipline. Our railway guards are employed and paid by Government, and if some of our officials in that employ, as it is said, receive large salaries for doing next to nothing, the guard is most certainly at the very antipodes of that paradise of incapables that is to be found about the north-east corner of our city; for considering his hours of labour, his manifold responsibilities, and the constant strain on his wits while on duty, he earns his modest salary against any servant of the Government, whether clerical or mechanic. Last February a petition was sent in to the Chief Commissioner, asking for a rising scale of wages, with a maximum of 12s. per diem for six days in the week, and, I think, a slight reduction in the hours of duty. This was signed by every guard on the Southern and Western lines, but no answer was vouchsafed to it. Now I think, considering that our lines are returning good interest, that the above petition might have been granted. At present the wages are from 7s. to 11s. per day; the larger amount is earned only by men who have been in the service from fifteen to twenty years. I beg to mention a few of the responsibilities and duties of a guard, and leave it to any dispassionate reader to judge whether the guard receives the value of his services: He is answerable for all parcels, letters, luggage, horses, and dogs, also for the proper coupling of the carriages; he is liable for the regularity, punctuality, and safety of trains; when on journey must watch for all signals and observe any undue oscillation of the carriages, and must attend to all switches and signals where no signal staff is kept; he has to keep a time-table report of every journey and hand in on arrival at home station; he has to look after the changing of the block staffs, or their tickets, in passing stations; to attend to lamps, assist in attaching and detaching carriages, examine carriages, assist ticket collectors, indicate defects of road, attend to mails, despatches and waybills; these, with numerous other duties, constitute the *rôle* of a railway guard. Then, with regard to the hours, I have come thundering down the mountains in the night mineral train from Katoomba to Springwood, the grade often 1 in 33, and forty trucks or more, each carrying about six tons of coal, on the train, the dark dismal break-van swaying from side to side with a heavy roll, that you had only to shut your eyes to fancy yourself out on mid-ocean with a good breeze right aft. I have watched the guard standing by the iron wheel of his break, the wheel constantly spinning to and fro, as the slightest mistake would endanger the couplings, and the engine break away. The physical labour is equal to steering a large ship at sea, and I have seen the men look worn and weary. I inquired of one man his hours of duty. His answer was, from 5 o'clock a.m. till 9 o'clock p.m. daily, and on again at 11 p.m. on Sundays, sixteen hours a day. No wonder the poor fellows get tired; and I feel sure that ere long, with the immense traffic on the Western Line, and the difficulty of working on a single track combined with the overtaxed and weary guards, accidents will become the rule, not the exception. I think the guards on the through passenger trains should have an assistant, especially where they have to collect mails along the route, for at present the guard on some trains has to perform the duties of travelling post, for which he receives no remuneration; but should he deliver a wrong bag, he is liable to be fined. Then again they have sometimes very valuable property in their van, but in the course of their duty have to leave their van unprotected, and yet are held answerable for the safety of its contents. I knew a case where a guard had some thousands of pounds in his van, the wages for the lines in progress; his only safe place had a 6d. padlock on it; that night he knew a lot of sharpers were in the train on their way to a race meeting, and yet he was compelled at times to leave his van for a short period, and was kept in state of nervous fright till his valuable charge was in safety. Lastly, I consider it a hard regulation that when a guard is too ill to perform his duties, his pay ceases altogether. It is a regular case of no work, no pay. A guard above all men ought to be *mens sana in corpore sano*; but as these men are mostly married and have families to support, naturally they are chary of losing pay, and will go on their trains when totally unfit; and the Government gives no encouragement to men to be steady and frugal, for should a man belong to any of the benefit clubs and meet with an accident, his allowance from his club is deducted from his pension, so that there is no object in a man saving a portion of his salary and buying into a benefit society. He is no better off than the man who spends his wages in drink or any other extravagance, when the time comes that he should receive the recompense of his frugality.

In conclusion, I wish to pay my tribute of respect to our railway guards, whom I have found an intelligent, sober, and earnest class of men, devoted to their duty and to the welfare of the enterprise in which they are employed, and trust the Chief Commissioner may see fit to grant their request, as contained in their petition of last February.

I remain yours obediently, LEWIS ARUNDEL.

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Strong Tweed Trousers, 3s 9d; Colonial ditto, from 5s 3d — YOUTHS' TROUSERS, and TROUSERS and VESTS — Tweed Trousers & Vests, from 7s 6d; Ditto ditto, fine quality, 13s 6d.

BOYS' OVERCOATS and ULSTERS, from 5s 11d to 18s.

BOYS' KNICKER SUITS.
100 Boys Suits, 3s 11d, cannot be bought elsewhere under 9s 6d
150 Serge Sailor Suits 11d, 8s 9d, usual price 10s 6d, 13s
100 Velvet Suits, all sizes, 12s 6d, NEW SHAPE.

S. B. Gladstone Overcoats, 16s; D. B. Chesterfield ditto, 19s. — OVERCOATS and ULSTERS. — Regular price 30s, sold elsewhere 35s.

HALF PRICE.

S. B. ULSTERS, from 17s 6d, 23s upwards
D. B. ditto, extra long, 25s, 30s.

MUNSTER OVERCOATS, 27s 6d to 35s

Gent.'s MACINTOSH Coats, guaranteed WATERPROOF, 6s 11d, 7s 11d, 9s 6d, 11s, 13s 9d, and 18s.

SUMMER HATS.

We have much pleasure in informing our customers and the public in general, that we have this week opened our first shipment of Summer Hats, comprising Boys' and Youths' Straws, Leghorns, and Tuscans of the latest and most fashionable styles; also 10 Cases GENT.'S PITH HELMETS, which for lightness and durability cannot be surpassed.

LOOK AT THE PRICES. | LOOK AT THE PRICES.

Boy's Navy Blue Leghorn Straw, 9d
Boys' White ditto ditto, 1s 3d
Boys' Sailor ditto, 1s 6d
Ditto ditto, superior quality, 2s 11d
Boy's Yachting Straws, 1s
Gent.'s Leghorn Hats, 1s.

10 Cases Gent.'s Pith Silk-covered Helmets, all one price, 4s 6d. We have no less than 6 different shapes to choose from. The best assortment in the colonies.

GENT.'S HARD AND SOFT FELTS.
Gent.'s Soft French Felt Shakespeare, 4s 6d
Ditto ditto ditto Jerome, 2s 11d
Ditto ditto ditto Pocket Hats, all colours, splendid value, 4s 11d
Gent.'s Black Stiff Felt Cypress, 2s 6d
Ditto ditto ditto Porchester, 4s 6d
Ditto ditto ditto Salisbury, 4s 11d
Ditto ditto ditto Killarney, 4s 11d
These GOODS ARE SPLENDID VALUE, and ARE WELL WORTH Inspection.

We have at present the best and largest assortment of Children's HATS in Sydney. ONE TRIAL WILL PROVE THE FACT.

OUR SHIRT DEPARTMENT.

104 dozen Men's Cotton Shirts, Oxford patterns, 1s each
30 dozen Men's Barnsley Cotton Shirts, 20 different patterns, 1s 9d each
20 dozen Men's Heavy Twilled Cotton Shirts, with double backs, 2s 6d each
600 dozen Men's Heavy Scotch Twill Shirts, marvellous value, with double backs, 2s 6d each
120 dozen Men's Crimean Shirts, 2s 11d each
44 dozen Men's All-wool Shepherd's Check Shirts, 4s 11d each, usually sold at 6s 11d
An enormous variety of CRIMEAN SHIRTS to select from, at 7s 6d, 8s 6d, 9s 3d, 9s 11d, and 10s 9d made of the purest wools
204 dozen Men's White shirts, with plaited fronts, all sizes, extraordinary value, 2s 11d each
½-dozen Gentlemen's White Shirts, with plain fronts, 19s 6d
½-dozen Ditto Ditto, to button behind, Corazza finish, 21s
½-dozen Gent.'s Superior White Shirts, D. B., with Military fronts, made from pure Irish Linen, and shaped, 22s 6d.
½-dozen Gent.'s Eureka Shirts, with solid Linen fronts and cuffs. The cheapest in Australia, 27s
½-dozen Gent.'s best hand-sewn London-made Shirts, with plain fronts, 35s

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We shall show this day 50 Dozen GENT.'S SCARFS, BURLINGTON and POLO SHAPED, all silk, beautiful patterns, at 1s each, former price, 2s 9d
760 dozen Gent.'s 7-8 WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, all pure Linen, 7s 6d per dozen
120 dozen Gent.'s 7-8 Coloured Handkerchiefs, 3s 6d per dozen
54 dozen Gent.'s assortment WOOLLEN MUFFLERS, 1s each
21 dozen Gent.'s Wool Cloth-lined GLOVES, 1s 3d per pair
104 dozen Gent.'s DOGSKIN, lined with swanskin, 1s 11d per pair
42 dozen (JUST LANDED), of DENT'S FAMOUS LINED TAPE GLOVES, with the new patent fastener, fur tops, at 1s 6d per pair
144 dozen Gent.'s DOESKIN DRIVING GLOVES, 2s 6d per pair
60 dozen Gent.'s Black and Colour first class KID GLOVES, 3s 9d per pair
Gentlemen's SCARFS, COLLARS, and GLOVES for evening wear, in all the latest novelties, at prices lower than anywhere in the colony.

FANCY DEPARTMENT.

JUST ARRIVED, 10 Cases, ex R. M. S. Kaiser-i-Hind, containing KID GLOVES, LACES, RIBBONS, and EMBROIDERIES.

KID GLOVES, in improved cut, in three qualities.
2-button, at 1s 11d, 2s 6d, 2s 11d
4-button, 2s 6d, 3s 6d, 3s 11d
6-button, 3s 6d, 3s 11d, 4s 6d.

These GLOVES are an IMPROVED-CUT, superior to all previous importations to this market, and the quality of the kid we can recommend as being really first-class.

RIBBONS — Plain, Oriental, Faille and Fancy, in many new colours and designs.

POMPADOUR RIBBONS, very handsome, 4½d per yard.

LACES. — A large assortment of all kinds, very cheap.

We are now offering the balance of our WINTER GLOVES at reduced prices.

ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS, of the HAYMARKET (only).

GOWING, BROTHERS, 332 and 500, GEORGE-STREET, HAVE DETERMINED TO MARK THE REMAINDER OF THE STOCK in the ASSIGNED ESTATE of Mr. C. HEMSLEY at such prices AS MUST CLEAR THE SAME before their YEARLY STOCK-TAKING, at THE END OF AUGUST.

GOWING, BROTHERS, 500, GEORGE-STREET, 500, opposite Central Police Court, and at J. E. GOWING'S, 332, GEORGE-STREET, 332, Halfway between Hunter-street and Post Office.

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF Mr. C. HEMSLEY.

CASH SALE NOW ON at GOWING, BROTHERS', 500, GEORGE-STREET, 500, opposite Central Police Court, and at J. E. GOWING'S, 332, GEORGE-STREET, 332, Halfway between Post Office and Hunter-street.

N.B.—ALL GOODS AT REDUCED PRICES FOR CASH ONLY.

LADIES' GLOVE-FITTING BOOTS and SHOES, for WALKING and EVENING WEAR. A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT just opened at LLOYD'S CELEBRATED FRENCH GLOVE and BOOT DEPOT, 10, Hunter-street.

THE best way to ensure comfort to the DRAPERY SALESWOMEN of SYDNEY is for LADIES to SHOP EARLY, EARLY, EARLY, EARLY, in the day. The reason is obvious.

TEMORA Gold-field.—NOTICE to Miners and Others.—Cheap TENTS at the maker's, S. WALDER, 332, Pitt-st.

RILEY, BROTHERS, The Noted Cheap Drapers, Invite the Readers of the SYDNEY MORNING HERALD to cut this list out of the paper, and keep it by them. Many pounds in the draper's bill will be saved in the year by watching the prices for ordinary household goods.

READ THIS PRICE LIST.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

THE CHEAP LIST.

Those who have in their families boys from 6 to 13 years old, know only too well what a charge it is upon slender means the cost of clothing them. Boys require stronger material in their clothing than men. We have always kept this fact in view when choosing material to make our Boys' Suits. Three Suits may now be had for the usual price of two. As instances of prices, a cheap dark knickerbocker tweed suit, braided, may be purchased for 2s 11d; some of a superior kind, 6s 11d; boys' long trouser suits, at 11s 9d, cannot be equalled anywhere for 17s 9d. Six shillings saved on one boy's suit is a consideration. A large stock is kept at all our establishments. Inspection is invited.

TO-DAY will be a Special SHOW DAY—Boys' and Youths' Clothing.

RILEY, BROTHERS.

FOR MEN'S WEAR.	FOR BOYS and YOUTHS.
Strong Tweed Suits, 19s 6d	Knickerbocker Suits, 2s 11d
Strong Tweed Trousers, 4s 11d	Tweed Knicker Suits, 3s 11d
Superior Tweed Trousers, 4s 11d	New Hussar Suits, 5s 11d
Colonial Tweed Trousers, 7s 11d	Velvet Suits, 12s 6d
White Mole Trousers, 4s 6d	Youths' Tweed Trousers, 3s 11d
Coloured Mole Trousers, 5s 11d	Moleskin Trousers, 3s 11d
White Shirts, military fronts, 2s 11d	Trousers and Vests, 8s 6d
White Shirts, button at back, 2s 11d	Strong Tweed Suits, 13s 6d
Strong Cotton Shirts, 1s 3d	Black Cloth Suits, 22s 6d
Elastic Braces, 6d	Strong Tweed Coats, 5s 11d
Good Cotton Socks, 3d	Paget Coats, 13s 9d
Crimean Shirts, 2s 11d	Ulster Overcoats, 7s 11d
Felt Hats, 2s 6d	Chesterfield Overcoats, 11s 6d
Undershirts, 1s 11d	White Shirts, 2s 6d
Cotton Undershirts, 1s 6d	Strong Working Shirts, 1s 3d
Black Cloth Pagets, 15s 6d	Youths' Felt Hats, 1s 6d
Diagonal Pagets, 17s 6d	Youths' Cotton Socks, 3½d
Linen Collars, 4½d	Youths' Elastic Braces, 3½d
Fancy Studs, 9d	Linen Collars, 4½d
Trousers and Vests, 10s 6d	Youths' Neckties, 4½d
Best Trousers and Vests, 15s 6d	Ulster Overcoats, 19s
Warm Overcoats, 15s 6d	Best Colonial Tweed, 2s 6d
Macintosh Coats, 5s 11d.	Best Colonial Tweed, 2s 6d
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THE CHEAP LIST.

American Calico, 2¼d	Gros Grain Silks, 1s 11d
Stout Grey Calico, 2¼d	Fancy Coloured Silks, 1s 11d
Unbleached Sheeting, 6¾d	New Japanese Silks, 8½d
White Twill Sheeting, 1s	Black Silk Velvet, 2s 11d
Plain White Sheeting, 11½d	Coloured Satins, 1s 11d
Linen Table Damask, 12½d	Fancy Homespun, 4½d
Linen Table Napkins, dozen, 2s 11d	Strong Winsey, 3¾d
Figured White Dimity, 5¾d	Matalasse Material, 4¾d
Strong Cotton Tick, 3¾d	Fancy Lustres, 4½d
Good Linen Tick, 6½d	Fancy Satin Cloth, 8½d
Good Scarlet Flannel, 5¾d	New Materials, 5¾d
All Wool Flannel, 8½d	Rich Silk Lustres, 5¾d
White Blankets, pair, 4s 11d	Pure Silky Alpacas, 8½d
Coloured Quilts, 2s 6d	Fine Black Alpaca, 8½d
Marcella Quilts, 2s 11d	Black Crape Cloth, 11½d
Honeycomb Quilts, 5s 11d	Black Merinos, 11½d
Wide Black Silk, 1s 11d	Coloured Cashmeres, 1s 3d
Long Muslin Curtains, 2s 11d	French Merinos, 1s 3d
Good White Diaper, 6½d	Estamene Cloths, 7½d
Slate Twill Silesia, 4¾d	Poplin Cords, 8½d
Slate Body Linen, 6½d	French Poplinettes, 11½d
Unbleached Towels, 3d	Ladies' Winter Shawls, 4s 11d
White Towels, 2¾d	Good Beaver Shawls, 6s 11d
Turkish Towels, 7½d	Children's Costumes, 4s 11d
Large Bath Towels, 6¾d	Ladies' Tweed Costumes, 4s 11d
Marcella Toilet Covers, 7½d	Ladies' Winter Costumes, 5s 11d
Honeycomb Covers, 10½d	Long Black Jackets, 7s 6d
Strong Brown Holland, 4½d	Jackets, Trimmed Fur, 10s 6d
Glass Towelling, 4½d	Ladies Ulster Mantles, 5s 11d
Coloured Table Covers, 6s 11d	Children's Ulster Mantles, 2s 11d
Roller Towelling, 4½d	Black Fur Trimmings, 7½d
Stripe Blind Tick, 5¾d	Muslin Embroideries, 1¾d
Cotton Shirting, 3¾d	Coloured Wool Fringes, 3½d
Wide Victoria Lawn, 3¾d	Seaweed Fringes, 5½d
Crimean Flannel, 8¾d	Fancy Silk Fringes, 11½d
Coloured Moleskin, 12½d	Fancy Silk Buttons, 3d per dozen
Strong Gambroon, 10½d	Black Braid, per piece, 1s
Long Lace Curtains, 2s 11d	Trimming Satins, 1s 11d.

THE BEST COLONIAL TWEED, 2s 6d
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BLANKETS, 4s 11d	OVERCOATS, 8s 6d
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THE CHEAP LIST.

Ladies' Twill Umbrella, 1s 3d	Josephine Kid Gloves, 1s 11d
Ladies' Silk Umbrellas, 4s 11d	Rouillon's Josephines, 1s 11d
Gent's Twill Umbrellas, 2s 6d	Ladies' Felt Hats, 1s 11d
Gent's Silk Umbrellas, 7s 6d	Children's Felt Hats, 1s 11d
Ladies' Coloured Stockings, 6½d	Ladies' Felt Skirts, 1s 11d
Ladies' White Stockings, 4½d	Stripe Skirts, 3s 11d
Children's Coloured Socks, 3½d	Ladies' Night Dresses, 2s 6d
Men's Coloured Socks, 6¾d	Ladies' Chemises, 1s 3d
Children's Parachutes, 11½d	Ladies' Drawers, 1s 3d
Ladies' Silk Scarfs, 6½d	Ladies' Petticoats, 1s 11d
Ladies' Wool Tippets, 11½d	Ladies' Camisoles, 1s 6d
Ladies' Winter Gloves, 11½d	Children's Drawers, 1s
Men's Wool Comforters, 9d	Children's Chemises, 1s
Ladies' Stays, 2s 11d	Children's Petticoats, 1s 6d
Ladies' Linen Sets, 9d	Children's Nights, 1s 11d
Ladies' Linen Collars, 3d	Children's Pelisses, 2s 11d
New Fancy Ribbons, 3½d	Merino Dresses, 1s 11d
Double-faced Ribbons, 4½d	Felt Dresses, 2s 11d
Elder Down Quilts, 7s 11d	Stair Carpet, 4½d
Ladies' Leather Belts, 9d	Stair Oilcloth, 5½d
Ladies' Fur Muffs, 3s 11d	Cotton Bed Fringe, 2½d
Ladies' Felt Skirts, 1s 6d	Furniture Dimity, 4½d
Ladies' Costumes, 5s 11d	Printed Cashmeres, 4½d
Long Black Jackets, 2s 6d	Coloured Table Covers, 6s 11d
Ladies' Ulster Mantles, 5s 6d	Linen Tablecloths, 3s 11d
Ladies' Winter Shawls, 4s 11d	Window Hollands, 7½d
	Window Net, 4½d
	Window Muslin, 3½d

FELT SKIRTS, 1s 6d	COSTUMES, 5s 11d
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PARCELS SENT FREE BY RAIL OR STEAMER.

£5 PARCELS, nicely packed in canvas, insured against loss or damage, sent CARRIAGE PAID all over the colony in seven days.

RILEY, BROTHERS,	OXFORD-STREET.
RILEY, BROTHERS,	BRICKFIELD-HILL.
RILEY, BROTHERS,	PITT-STREET.
RILEY, BROTHERS,	386, GEORGE-STREET.
RILEY, BROTHERS,	GOULBURN.

TREES are COMMENCING TO BLOSSOM—A sure sign that SPRING TIME is here.

NEW GOODS. NEW GOODS. Ex POTOSI. Nothing Old, Faded, Smoked, Watered, or Fired. EVERYTHING NEW, FRESH, and FASHIONABLE at HORDERN'S

The Best Shop for Dresses
The Best Shop for Boys' Clothing
A Good Shop for Millinery
A Good Shop for Underclothing (competent saleswomen)
A Good Shop for Mantles
A First-rate Shop for Silks and Velvets
A Good Shop for Carpets and Floorcloths and
Favourite Shop for Stays, Ribbons, &c.

J. L. HORDERN, 211, PITT-STREET, near the old Victoria Theatre.

Parcels sent anywhere.

THE CARPET DEPARTMENT IS VERY WELL ASSORTED. Nothing damaged in Carpets, as I always send old-fashioned or damaged goods to auction.

To Strangers!!

HORDERN'S ESTABLISHMENTS have been patronised by the Public for many years—a sure sign that they have served their customers WELL.

W. C. RENWICK, 80, KING-STREET.
BLACK KID GLOVES 1s 11d
2-BUTTON BLACK KID GLOVES, 1s 11d, 2s 6½d
4-BUTTON BLACK, 2s 11d, Really Very Good
OUR BETTER GLOVES ARE EQUALLY CHEAP.
BLACK SATIN PARACHUTES
BROWN SILK UMBRELLAS, 4s 11d, Fancy Handles
COLOURED STAYS, NEW SHAPES,
PINK, BLUE, BLACK, and CARDINAL WHITE, 3s 11d
NEW POMPADOUR PRINTS, 8½d
NEW POMPADOUR SATTEENS, 10½d
COSTUMES AT HALF PRICE, NEW STYLES
CLOTH JACKETS, Balance at Half Price
WINTER SKIRTS, at Very Reduced Prices
HOUSEHOLD DRAPERY
EVERY REQUISITE FOR FAMILY USE
CHOICE MILLINERY
STYLISH and ELEGANT HATS and BONNETS
FLOWERS, FEATHERS, LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING
W. C. RENWICK, 80, KING-STREET.

JUST RECEIVED.—LADIES' GLACIE KID E.S. and BUTTON BOOTS. Maids' and Children's Button Boots, glacie kid. Also, Men's, Boys', and Youths' French and English Elastic Sides. N.B.—Still closes at 7 every evening, except Saturday.

C. BOVIS, Campaign House, 66 (late 62), Market-street.

GAS EXPLOSION IN GEORGE-STREET.

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In pursuance of our notice in the "Public Notices" column of this day's Herald we shall commence on MONDAY next to sell the stock (all more or less damaged) at prices that will secure a speedy clearance, and quite IRRELEVANT OF COST OR VALUE.

HOPKINS and ALFORD, nearly opposite Royal Hotel.

VISIT E. ARNOLD and CO., OXFORD-STREET, for FRENCH KID GLOVES, all SIZES, Children's Black and Coloured KID GLOVES.

JUST LANDED, a large quantity of Fancy Trouserings, which we are now selling in cut lengths at wholesale prices; Tweeds, from 1s 9d; Double Width Cloth at 2s 6d. T. STEPHENS and CO., 309, Pitt-street, between Park and Bathurst streets.

KILTING.—6d, 8d, 1s per doz. yards, every size and material. 101, Stanley-street, opposite laundry.

Government Notices.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue unless Caveats be lodged in Form B of the said Act on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Names of Applicants.	Residences.	Dates up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
			1880.
No. 4994. Kelso, 2 acres: Bounded on the north-east by land of W. Lee 218½ links; north-west by Thompson's allotment 980 links; south-west by road from Kelso to O'Connell 232 links; and south-east by land of Harriet Young 901 links,—is part of 94 acres, granted to Richd. Mills.	John Dawson ...	Sydney	August 12.
No. 5007. Gladesville, 4 acres 1 rood 24 perches, lots 20 and 21, and 2 acres 2 roods 14 perches, lot 16, of Turner's subdivision of part of James Devlin's 60 acres grant.	Ambrose Thorniey, as administrator of the intestate estate of Mary Poyntz.	Glebe	August 12.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 3rd day of June, 1880, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

SPECIAL NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATIONS having been made, under section 79 of the Real Property Act, by the undermentioned, to be registered as "Proprietors by Transmission" of the lands hereunder described, such applications will be complied with, and Certificates of Title issued in accordance therewith, unless Caveats be lodged on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Names and residences of applicants.	Title, how claimed.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
			1880.
MCCLI. 27 acres 0 roods and 30 perches, portion 31, and 28 acres, portion 30, parish of St. John, county of Cumberland (part of Church and School Lands.	Jane Harriet Stratford, of Balmain, near Sydney.	Administratrix of the intestate estate of Frederick Augustus Stratford.	September 9.
MCCCIII. 3 roods and 3 perches, at Darlinghurst, parish of Alexandria, city of Sydney.	Elizabeth Lord and Herbert Edward Lord, of Darlinghurst Road, Sydney.	Devisees under the will of George William Lord.	September 9.
MCCCIV. 92 acres, in the parish of Petersham, county of Cumberland.	Herbert Edward Lord, of Darlinghurst Road, Sydney.	Devisee under the will of George William Lord.	September 9.
MCCCV. 3 acres and 3 roods, parish of Botany, 12½ perches, lot 12 of the Craigend Estate, parish of Alexandria, Sydney; 32 perches, parish of St. James, Sydney; and 80 acres on Cook's River, in the parish of Botany.	George Lea Lord, of Darlinghurst Road, Sydney.	Devisee under the will of George William Lord.	September 9.
MCCCVI. 12½ perches, parish of Alexandria, Sydney.	Ada Mary Docker, and Florence Lucy Docker, both of Sydney.	Devisees under the will of George William Lord.	September 9.
MCCCXIII. The undivided moiety of Joseph Becker, deceased, of and in 10 acres 3 roods and 32 perches, portion 34, parish of East Bourke, county of Cowper.	Jane Becker, of Hobart Town, Tasmania, Sir George Wigram Allen, and Charles Cowper, both of Sydney.	Trustees and executors of the will of Joseph Becker.	September 9.
MCCCXV. 3½ perches and 15 perches, parish of Alexandria, Sydney.	John Deery, of Sydney.	Administrator of the intestate estate of William Deery.	September 9.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 5th day of August, 1880, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

General Post Office, Sydney, 29th July, 1880.

A TELEGRAPH OFFICE will be opened on the 16th proximo at
Mullion Creek Railway Station.
SAUL SAMUEL.

General Post Office, Sydney, 28th July, 1880.

POST OFFICES will be established on the 1st proximo at the following places, viz.:—
Springwood, on the Great Western Railway Line
Upper North Creek, near Ballina
East Temora, near Cootamundra.
POST OFFICES will be established on the 16th proximo at the following places, viz.:—
Clare, between Balranald and Ivanhoe
Katoomba, on the Great Western Railway Line
Spicer's Creek, between Lincoln and Goolma
Mullion Creek, on the Great Western Railway Line.
SAUL SAMUEL.

General Post Office, Sydney, 29th July, 1880.

SITE FOR POST AND TELEGRAPH OFFICE, GLEBE.—TENDERS will be received at this Office, up to noon on WEDNESDAY, the 1st September next, from persons willing to sell to this Department a piece of LAND at GLEBE, in the vicinity of St. John's Road, near Mount Vernon-street, suitable as a site for a Post and Telegraph Office.
The Tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the General Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed "Tender for Land at Glebe."
SAUL SAMUEL.

General Post Office, Sydney, 26th July, 1880.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.—TENDERS for the Conveyance of the undermentioned Mails are invited.
For particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony.
No Tender will be considered unless the terms of the notice published in the GAZETTE be strictly complied with.
Tenders to be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails."

Conveyance of Mails to and from	Date to which tenders can be received at this office.
For the period from the date of the opening of the Railway to Gerogery to the 31st December, 1881 or 1882. 1. The Railway Station, Billabong (Culcairn), Receiving Office, Morven, and Post Office, Germanton, six times a week (in times of flood contractor to travel on either side of the Billabong Creek). 2. Germanton, Woomargama, Mullengandra, Bowna, Thurgoona, and Albury, three times a week. 3. Wagga Wagga and Collingullie, three times a week. 4. Morven and Cookardinia, three times a week. 5. The Railway Station, Gerogery, and the Post Offices, Gerogery and Albury, seven times a week, including the conveyance of any mails from or to any part of the Australasian Colonies, the United Kingdom, or Foreign Countries, &c., as required. 6. Wagga Wagga and Mangoplo (Richard Curry's Inn), three times a week.	Up to noon on Wednesday, the 18th August next.
For the period from the 1st October, 1880, to the 31st December, 1881 or 1882. 7. Iluka and Woodburn, twice a week, on horseback 8. Woodburn, Wyrallah, Gundurimba, and Lismore, twice a week, on horseback; and 9. Woodburn, Swan Bay, Coraki, Codrington, Tatham, and Casino, twice a week, on horseback; or 10. Woodburn, Swan Bay, Coraki, Wyrallah, Gundurimba, and Lismore, twice a week, by steam launch; and 11. Casino, Tatham, and Codrington, twice a week, on horseback. 12. Jerry's Plains and Doyle's Creek, once a week. 13. Wyong Creek Post-office and Yarramalong, once a week. 14. Toogong and Cargo, via Cranbury (Nyrang), once or twice a week. 15. Wallaceton Platform and Yathella, twice a week. 16. Collarenebri on the Barwon, and Angledool on the Narren River, via the 60-mile track, once a week.	Up to noon on Wednesday, the 1st September next.

SAUL SAMUEL.

General Post Office, Sydney, 14th July, 1880.

TO DIE SINKERS, ENGRAVERS, &c.

TENDERS will be received at this Office, up to noon on WEDNESDAY, the 1st September next, for the supply of the undermentioned articles, as required from time to time for three years from the 1st October next.
The following is the probable number of each article that will be required for each year, viz.:—
80 Hardened Steel Date Stamps (single)
10 Hardened Steel Date Stamps (double)
With Obliterator attached.
90 Sets of Hardened Steel Type for Date Stamps (single)
15 Sets of Hardened Steel Type for Date Stamps (double)
50 Hardened Steel Obliterating Stamps
100 Brass Office Seals
1500 Hardened Loose Steel Type.
Each order must be completed within fourteen (14) days from the date thereof.
Tenders must specify the price of each article, which must be supplied according to sample to be seen at this office, where full particulars can be obtained.
No tender will be considered unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons, stating that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum of fifty pounds (£50) for the due fulfilment of the contract.
Tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed "Tender for the supply of Date Stamps, &c."
The amount of duty imposed by the Stamp Duties Act of 1880 upon the necessary bond and accepted tender (viz., £1 on the former and 1s on the latter), is to be borne by the successful tenderer.
The Postmaster-General does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender, nor is he bound to accept any tender as a whole; but reserves the right to accept or reject any article or articles contained in the tender.
Further, the Postmaster-General is not bound to accept the supplies to the extent of the "probable quantities" specified against each item; and it is also to be distinctly understood that should the probable quantities given above prove insufficient to the requirements of the Government, the contractor will be bound to supply such further quantities as may be required at the same rates at which the contract was accepted.
SAUL SAMUEL.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 30th July, 1880.

STEAM-TUG FOR THE MACLEAY, BELLENGER, AND NAMBUCCRA RIVERS.—TENDERS will be received at this office, up to noon of THURSDAY, the 12th proximo, from persons desirous of supplying and maintaining an efficient Steam-tug for use at the Macleay, Bellenger, and Nambuccra Rivers, on the basis of an annual subsidy from the Government, and with the right reserved to the tenderer to charge shipping for the use of the Tug, at rates not exceeding 8d. per registered ton, both in and out, with a minimum of £3.
The vessel must be of not less than 20 horse-power, and thoroughly fitted, in the opinion of the Marine Board, for the service required, which must be commenced within one week from date of notification of acceptance of tender.
Tenderers will state the amount of subsidy (over and above the towage rates) they will accept for the service.
No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons, stating that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the penal sum of £250 for the due performance of the service, under conditions which may be seen at the office of the Marine Board.
The Government reserves the right to cancel the contract upon giving seven days' notice in the event of any departure from the conditions.
The necessary stamp duty (i.e., one shilling upon the Tender, and one pound upon the Bond) must be borne by the Contractor.
In the case of the accepted tender, the contractor and his sureties must severally call at the Treasury to execute and deliver the bond within fourteen days after date of acceptance, failing which the contract may either be advertised anew or another tender accepted.
It is to be distinctly understood that the Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.
JAMES WATSON.

HUNTER RIVER WATER SUPPLY.

BUTTI RESERVOIR.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the undersigned, until 11 a.m. of TUESDAY, the 10th August, 1880, for the erection of a Reservoir at Butti, near West Maitland, in connection with the above.
J. LACKEY, Secretary for Public Works.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 6th August, 1880.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.—TENDERS are invited for the following Public Works and Supplies. For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every Post-office in the colony.
Tenderers may be in attendance when the tenders are opened, and the name of the successful tenderer will be announced, if possible, before the duties of the Board have terminated.
No tender will be taken into consideration unless the terms of the notice are strictly complied with.
The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Nature of Works and Supplies.	Dates to which Tenders can be received at this Office.
Erection of a Reservoir at Batti, near West Maitland, in connection with the Hunter River Water Supply Erection of a Lock-up at North Willoughby Purchase of old Scrap and Cast Iron lying at Parramatta Gaol	11 o'clock on 10th August.
Construction of a portion of the Mudgee Railway, viz., from Wallerawang to Capertee Camp Inn Construction of a Dam and Reservoir at Kerr's Creek, on railway line between Orange and Wellington	11 o'clock on 17th August.
Construction of Tank and Fencing at Post and Telegraph Office, Gunnedah Construction of Tank, Engine Shed, &c., Liverpool Asylum Erection of a Post and Telegraph Office at Morpeth	11 o'clock on 24th August.
Construction of a Covered Service Reservoir at Newcastle, in connection with the Hunter River Water Supply Erection of a Gaol at Narrabri	11 o'clock on 31st August.
Construction of 5th Section, Sydney Water Supply, open canal work	11 o'clock on 14th September.
Supply of Twenty-five (25) Tramway Motors, to be constructed in this colony	11 o'clock on 28th September.

JOHN LACKEY.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 30th July, 1880.

CONTRACTS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE. FORAGE FOR THE POLICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that TENDERS will be received at this Office, until noon of THURSDAY, the 12th of August next, for furnishing the supplies undermentioned, in such quantities as may be required during seven calendar months from the 1st September, 1880, upon the conditions hereinafter specified.
Each Tender must be in the form provided, and enclosed in a separate envelope marked "Tender for Forage."
Printed forms of Tender, as well as any further particulars and information, may be obtained on application at the Treasury, at the office of the Inspector-General of Police, or at the station for which the supplies are required.
It is to be distinctly understood that the Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any Tender.
The forage to be delivered in bulk, as ordered; the net weight only, after deducting the tare, to be charged.
N.B.—The accepted Tender will be notified in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, and such notice will be considered as an intimation also to unsuccessful Tenderers that their Tenders have been declined.

Particulars.

Maize	... per bushel of 56 lbs.
Or Oats	... " 40 "
Bran	... " 20 "
Hay	... per ton of 2240 lbs.
Straw	... " "

Station.	Probable No. of Horses to be Foraged.
Eastern District—	
Parramatta	3

For conditions of Contract, see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.
JAMES WATSON.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

PARCEL TRAFFIC BETWEEN SYDNEY AND NEWCASTLE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, for the convenience of the public, Parcels and Packages will be received, on and after the 2nd August, at the Central Office, George-street, Sydney, and at all stations on the Great Southern and Western lines, for transmission to Newcastle and stations on the Great Northern and North-Western lines; and they will also be received at Newcastle, and stations on the Great Northern and North-Western lines, for Sydney and stations on the Great Southern and Western lines.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, 4th August, 1880.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, 17th June, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.

TENDERS will be received at this Office, until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 17th August, from persons willing to contract for the construction of a portion of the Railway from Wallerawang to Mudgee, extending from Wallerawang to near Capertee Camp Inn, being a length of 22 miles and 54 chains.
Plans, specification, and form of tender may be seen, and further particulars obtained, at the Office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Sydney, on and after the 20th July.
Tenders are to be endorsed "Tender for first portion of Mudgee Railway."
The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

NEW SOUTH WALES COURSING CLUB MEETING, AT WOODSTOCK, SATURDAY, 7th AUGUST, 1880.

For the convenience of persons attending the above meeting, a SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Sydney for Rooty Hill, as under:—

Sydney (departure)	8.55 a.m.
Parramatta	9.25 a.m.
Blacktown	9.45 a.m.
Rooty Hill (arrival)	9.55 a.m.

Fares from Sydney (including admission to the ground):—First, 5s; second class, 3s 6d.
The Special Train will leave Rooty Hill, on the return journey, at 5.10 p.m.
The ordinary excursion fares will be charged from all other stations to Rooty Hill; but these do not include admission to the ground. Horses, Vehicles, and Dogs will be conveyed at single fare for the double journey by Special Train only; but arrangements must be made for their conveyance not later than the afternoon of the 6th August.
Tickets at the same fares will be issued to Rooty Hill by the ordinary trains on MONDAY, the 9th August.
CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways,
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, 4th August, 1880.

Building Materials.

CEDAR, all sizes; Turnery every description, large stock, reduced prices. STEWART, 341, Pitt-street.

MARBLE Monuments and Headstones, Granite or Stone ditto; Marble Mantelpieces, &c. Patten, Pitt-street.

DRAIN PIPES, at reduced prices, viz.:—
3-inch, 4d; 4-inch, 4½d; 6-inch, 6d; 9-inch, 1s; 12-inch, 1s 6d; 15-inch, 3s; 18-inch, 4s; 21-inch, 7s 6d; 24-inch, 10s per foot.
GOODLET and SMITH, 488, George-street, and 9, Parramatta-street. Pottery, Riley-street South.

SLATES, Purple and Blue, Welsh, Bangor, and American, reduced in price. G. E. CRANE and SON, Circular Qy.

GALVANIZED Iron, Lead, Zinc, Cement, Plaster, Fire Bricks, Pottery, Marble and Slate Mantelpieces, Fancy Tiles, Caithness and York Flagging. G. E. CRANE and SON, City Cement Stores, Circular Quay.

AMERICAN SHINGLES, Doors, Laths, Redwood, Oregon. G. and S. PREDDEY, Sawmills, Erskine-street.

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City Saw Mills, foot of Druitt-street.
Colonial and Maryborough Pine, Californian Redwood, &c. Hardwood, all lengths and sizes; Tallowwood Boards, &c. Mouldings, Architraves, Doors, Sashes, and all kinds of Turnery and Joinery on hand, and to order.

PALINGS, Laths, Shingles, splendid quality, greatly reduced prices. G. and S. Preddey, sawmills, Erskine-street.

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Capital, £100,000.
HEAD OFFICE—Lyons Buildings, 247, George-street.
DIRECTORS:
Richard Jones, Esq.
Henry Mort, Esq.
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MARINE RISKS of all descriptions accepted at lowest current rates.
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THE COLONIAL INSURANCE CO. OF NEW ZEALAND (FIRE AND MARINE).
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All MARINE or FIRE RISKS at the reduced rates current.
Policies granted in triplicate, payable, in case of loss, in London or at any of the agencies.
Forms and quotations on application to the above.

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Offices 336, George-street, Sydney.
This Company is prepared to accept FIRE RISKS at current rates.
S. MAC DONNELL, Agent.

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FIRE and MARINE, LIFE and GUARANTEE.
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FIDELITY GUARANTEE Policies issued at lowest current rates, with periodical reductions to Government and Bank officials and others holding situations of trust.
Private sureties can obtain indemnity policies from the Company, securing themselves against loss arising through the dishonesty of the person for whom they have become surety.
LIFE ASSURANCE, Endowment, or Annuity Policies granted at low rates of premium.
LIFE ASSURANCE COMBINED WITH GUARANTEE secures important REDUCTIONS in the premium.
Forms of Proposal and full particulars upon application to any of the Agents, or to the Resident Secretary.
NEW SOUTH WALES BRANCH, 89, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.
FREDK. J. JACKSON, Resident Secretary.

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Shares, £25 each, payable by monthly subscription of 2s 6d per share.
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The following advantages are offered
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A sound and profitable investment.
Compound interest at 6½ per cent. and profits.
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Low rate of interest, charged only on amount actually owing at end of each year.
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Capital, £500,000. Subscribed, £150,000.
Offices, Waterloo Chambers, 470, George-street.
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Profits divided with policy-holders every year.
All damages by lightning and gas explosion paid.
All kinds of fire risks taken at LOWEST RATES.
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Lombard-street, London. Established 1782.
RISKS of every description accepted at LOWEST rates. Claims promptly settled.
W. H. MACKENZIE and CO., Agents for New South Wales.
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THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
The next DIVISION OF PROFITS will take place as at the 15th November, 1880, and policies issued prior to that date will participate in the BONUS.
SYDNEY OFFICE, 293, GEORGE-STREET.
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Policies issued and claims paid without reference to head office.
F. T. WATKINS, Agent and Secretary.

THE NATIONAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA (Limited).
Established 1869.
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Albert A. Smith, Esq., Hunter-street.
Medical Referees:
Alfred Roberts, Esq., M.R.C.S.
Andrew Houison, Esq., M.D., Edin.
The BONUSES allotted by this Association have been unexceptionably large. THE NEXT DIVISION OF PROFITS takes place as at 30th September, 1880.
HENRY F. FRANCIS, Resident Secretary.

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ESTABLISHED 1849.
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THE OLDEST MUTUAL LIFE OFFICE IN AUSTRALIA.
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CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER:
Dr. W. F. Mackenzie, L.R.C.P. (Edin.), 5, Lyons-terrace.
ACTUARY: Morrice A. Black, F.I.A. | SECRETARY: Alex. J. Ralston.
Extract from POST MAGAZINE (London) of 6th December, 1879, on the sixth Quinquennial Report of the Society:— . . . "It is, as a whole, the most complete statement ever issued by a Life Company, and affords an incontestable proof that the tale of singular success it tells is the result, not of chance, but of practical and theoretical ability, governed by sound judgment and prudence."
The COMMERCIAL WORLD (London) of 2nd February, 1880, says:—"No British Company of any age can vie with the Australian Mutual, which during the thirty years of its existence has received in interest a larger amount than it has been called upon to pay in claims."
ACCUMULATED FUND, THREE MILLIONS STERLING.

PACIFIC FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SYDNEY.
Capital—£1,000,000.
DIRECTORS:
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Marine and Fire risks of every description accepted at current rates.
E. L. MONTEFIORE, Manager.

INCREASE OF CAPITAL of the NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).
At the General Meeting of Shareholders, held on the 28th May, 1880, at Newcastle, it was unanimously resolved to purchase a new first-class passenger Steamer, with superior accommodation and faster than any now in the trade, and with all the latest improvements for economising the consumption of fuel, on the receipt of applications for a sufficient number of Shares in the above Company. The estimated price of the steamer being £30,000.
The encouragement hitherto received by the Company, as shown in their last balance-sheet, and in the fact of having paid a TEN per cent. dividend for the previous FOUR HALF-YEARS, warrants the Directors in sanctioning the purchase of the said steamer upon applications being received as above.
The present shareholders in the Company will have a priority in the allotment of shares; subject to which applications from the general public will be considered pro rata.
The shares are to be one pound shares, to be paid for as follows: —One-fifth, or 4s per share, on application, the remaining four-fifths by bills at 5, 10, 15, and 20 months, from 1st June, 1880. Interest at the rate of 7 per cent. to be allowed on all payments until the steamer shall commence trading, when investors in the new capital will become entitled to the payment of dividends the same as the present shareholders.
Nine thousand shares are already applied for. The Share List will close on 1st September, 1880.
All applications for shares to be addressed to MARSHALL BAYLEY and PEEBLES, 90, Pitt-street, and from whom any further particulars may be obtained.

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WANTED to purchase, JOB GOODS, of every description, for cash; also Parties requiring cash advances on goods, warrants, &c., &c., can obtain same by addressing, in first instance, to E. D. R., Herald Office.
All communications will be deemed strictly confidential.

Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
DIVORCE AND MATRIMONIAL CAUSES JURISDICTION.
Between MARIA THATCHER, Petitioner; and RICHMOND THATCHER, Respondent.
TUESDAY, the third day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty.
WHEREAS the abovenamed Maria Thatcher has duly filed a petition praying for dissolution of marriage on the grounds therein set forth, with the above named respondent, and whereas the said respondent, after due service of citation, hath not appeared or put in any answer to the said petition, I hereby order and direct that the following are the issues of fact to be determined in this cause, namely:—
1. Whether the said petitioner was married to the said respondent on or about the fourth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.
2. Whether, after such marriage, the said respondent was guilty of adultery with one Alice Smith and other persons, as alleged in the said petition.
3. Whether, after such marriage, the said respondent was guilty of cruelty towards the said petitioner, contrary to the statute.
4. Whether, after such marriage, the said respondent was guilty of desertion of her the said petitioner, without reasonable cause for two years or upwards.
And I decide that the same shall be heard before me, without a jury, at the Supreme Court-house, in King-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the twenty-fourth day of August, now instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, upon affidavits and the examination of the petitioner and any other witnesses who may depose orally before me as to the adultery by the said respondent with the said Alice Smith, or any other person, as in the said petition alleged, or as to the cruelty by the said respondent towards the said petitioner, and as to the desertion of the said petitioner by the said respondent.
WILLIAM C. WINDEYER.
JOHN HORATIO CLAYTON, Solicitor for Petitioner, 136, Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of FREDERICK WARWICK, of Avoca Station, River Darling, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my agent, W. L. Richardson, Esq., P.M., and C.P.S., of Wentworth, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of CHARLES M'CARTNEY, of Kulkine, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my Agent, W. L. Richardson, Esq., of Wentworth, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of WILLIAM EVANS, of Yanlabulla, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office, if they think fit), at my Office, in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way, their claims to my agent, L. F. Layard, Esq., of Bourke, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of JAMES MILLER, of Dunlop Station, near Louth, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office, if they think fit), at my Office, in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my agent, H. J. Harrison, Esq., of Louth, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of WILLIAM GREEN, of Home Rule, Miner, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office, in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way, their claims to my Agent, C. Coghlan, Esq., of Gulgong, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Estate of FINLAY M'RAE, of Parkes, Blacksmith, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office, in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my agent, W. C. Weston, Esq., of Parkes, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of THOMAS LLOYD JAMES, of Binalong, Solicitor, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my agent, W. J. E. Wotton, Esq., of Burrowa, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time abovenamed.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of WILLIAM GRIFFIN, of Parkes, Shepherd, Deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, W. C. Weston, Esq., of Parkes, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of JOHN FLANAGAN, of Reidsdale, Farmer, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my Agent, W. F. Robertson, Esq., of Braidwood, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of AH WONG, of Gilmandyke, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office, if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, C. B. Maybury, Esq., of Bathurst, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of ROBERT DAVIDSON, of Tara Station, near Enabalong, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office, if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my Agent, N. C. O'NEILL, Esq., of Hillston, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above-named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of FREDERICK RIEGE, of Singleton, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way, their claims to my Agent, WILLIAM DUDDING, Esq., of Singleton, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of the Rev. TIMOTHY M'CARTHY, of Sydney, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their CLAIMS for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 31st of August, instant, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of HENRY BEAL, of Coonamble, Drover, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my agent, Robert R. BAILEY, Esq., of Coonamble, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above-named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of ROBERT ALEXANDER STEEL, of Market-street, Sydney, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office, in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 21st of August instant, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of JOSEPH LYNE BROWN, of Singleton, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office, in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my agent, WM. DUDDING, Esq., of Singleton, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of DOMINICK TOWEY, of Louth, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office, if they think fit), at my Office in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this Estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward, in the same way, their claims to my agent, H. J. HARRISON, Esq., of Louth, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Intestate Estate of JOHN FOLEY, of Hill Grove, deceased.
CREDITORS are to forward to me (through the Post Office if they think fit), at my Office, in the Supreme Court, Sydney, their claims for proof, verified by affidavit, on or before the 7th day of September next, or they will be excluded from all benefit from this estate.
Creditors may, however, if they prefer it, forward in the same way their claims to my agent, JAMES BRAY, Esq., of Armidale, so as to be received from him by me, for proof, by the time above named.
FRED. CHAPMAN, Curator of Intestate Estates.

EDMUND GEORGE BENSON, Deceased.
PURSUANT to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd of the reign of her present Majesty, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees," NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the Estate of EDMUND GEORGE BENSON, late of No. 2, Westbourne Crescent, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, and of Exeter Lodge, Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton; since of the Willows, Darling Point, Sydney, New South Wales; and late of the Cosmopolitan Hotel, Palmerin-street, Warwick, in the colony of Queensland, Australia, Gentleman, deceased, who died on the 1st day of February, 1880, and whose Will was proved by me, the undersigned, the Sole Executor therein named, on the 20th day of May, 1880, in the principal registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to me, on or before the 31st day of December, 1880. And NOTICE is hereby also given, that after that day, I, the undersigned, as such Executor as aforesaid, will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which I, as such Executor, shall then have had notice, and I will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim I shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 10th day of June, 1880.
W. H. THOMPSON, Solicitor, 14, Gray's Inn Square, London, England, executor of the deceased.
Agents in Sydney, WANT, JOHNSON, and WANT, solicitors, Pitt-street, Sydney.

ANY PERSON having CLAIMS against the Estate of the late Mr. S. A. DE LISSA will please forward the same to the undersigned, on or before the 31st August.
M. DE LISSA,
Albion Stores, Kent-street.

NOTICE is hereby given that all ACCOUNTS against the late WILLIAM CLARKE, of Newcastle, wheelwright, and all owing to the Estate, must be sent in before the 20th October next, to Mr. W. WINN, Draper, Hunter-street, Newcastle, who is appointed to act on our behalf, and whose receipt will be a sufficient discharge.
JOSEPH DANIEL, W. A. STEEL, } Executors.

No. 80-98. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, July 21, 1880.
OPENING AND FORMATION OF NEW STREETS IN THE CITY.
The attention of persons intending to lay out upon their premises any public way, street, lane, or alley is directed to the clause in the Sydney Corporation Act of 1879, which provides that all streets shall be of the width of 66 feet, and all lanes or alleys of the width of 20 feet at least; and that no public way shall be laid out or formed until the owner of the land shall have received a notification of the approval of the City Council to such public way being opened.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

No. 80-100. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 30th July, 1880.
DISTRESS WARRANTS: CITY AND WATER RATES, AND STREET-WATERING RATE.
NOTICE is hereby given, that Distress Warrants are about to be issued indiscriminately for the recovery, with costs, of all City and Water Rates due for the half-year ended 30th June, and Street-Watering Rate for the year 1879, unless paid into the office of the City Treasurer forthwith.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
HERD BOOK.
The third volume of the Herd Book being now in the hands of the printer, intending subscribers will please enrol their names with the undersigned at as early a date as possible, to enable the Council to decide upon the number of copies to be struck off.
THOS. MOSER, Secretary.

MR. B. C. BOAKE desires to return thanks for the many expressions of sympathy received from all sides for his late fire loss. He also thanks his customers for their consideration in not pressing for completion of orders on hand; also the manager of the New Zealand Insurance Company for prompt settlement of his claim. 11, Hunter-street.

TO SURGEON-DENTISTS.—Wanted, one duly qualified, preferably a L.D.S. or D.D.S., to buy a Dental Practice established 10 years, in a healthy and rapidly advancing Australian colony. Gross receipts 1879, £2500; rent £130. Applicants send photo., offers, and qualifications, to Dens, Herald Office.

DR. O'CONNOR has REMOVED to No. 223, Victoria-street, near William-street.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
Madame ROSA, Artiste en Corsets, &c., begs to thank the ladies of Sydney and neighbourhood for the support already accorded, and wishes respectfully to intimate that she has REMOVED from Bourke-street to Darlinghurst Road, opposite Alberto-terrace, where she hopes to receive a continuance of their favours, also their recommendation.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—Ladies.—We are overstocked with untrimmed HATS and BONNETS, Dress Materials, Jackets, and Ulsters. These Goods are below wholesale prices at E. WAY'S, Importer of Drapery, 213 to 219, Pitt-street.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—We lay cheap and durable TAR PAVEMENT, in accordance with the City Surveyor's specification. Blue metal and screenings supplied. Roe's Pavement Co., 492, George-street; or works, Darling Harbour, next Atlas Works.

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With the sanction of the Attorney-General.
DISTRIBUTION of FIVE MAGNIFICENT PRIZE OIL PAINTINGS, by COLLINGRIDGE (Ryde).
The Judges of the late International Exhibition gave Special Mention, and awarded Extra First Prize to the Paintings of this distinguished artist, well known by his work on LE MONDE ILLUSTRÉ and the ILLUSTRATED SYDNEY NEWS.
Committee:
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Major Dunn | Julian Thomas, Esq.
140 Tickets, at £1 1s each.
The pictures are on view at L. Moss and Co.'s Show Rooms, Hunter-street, where Tickets can be obtained and Drawing will take place.
The Drawing will take place at an early date, as there are only a few tickets left.

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Goods delivered daily, FREE of charge, to all parts of the city and the following suburbs:—

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And also to the following Steam Companies' Wharfs:—A. S. N. Co., M. S. S. Co., C. and R. R. S. N. Co., H. R. S. N. Co., C. and K. E. S. N. Co., Illawarra S. N. Co., Manning River S. N. Co., T. S. N. Co. To the Railway Station. Also by the following carriers: —Cobb and Co.; Wright, Heaton, Barber, and Co.; Jacques and Co.; Potts and Co.; Moulder, Leeds, and Co.
BRITISH PLATE AND SHEET GLASS WAREHOUSE, 29 and 31, George-street West.

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The Committee acknowledge, with thanks, the following contributions:—

Mrs. Speer	£2	0	0		R. Hargrave, Esq. ...	£2	2	0
Mr. John Callaghan	0	10	6		Messrs. Caird, Paterson, and Co.	1	1	0
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A. W. Gillis, Esq. ...	2	2	0		J. Wade, Esq.	3	0	0
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Miss S. F. Sharp ...	1	0	0		J. Hurst, Esq.	1	1	0
Mrs. Breillatt	1	1	0		Sunday-school, Gladesville	1	8	0
Lady Innes	3	3	0					
Mr. Thomas Moore ...	1	7	6					

SAUL SAMUEL, Hon. Treasurer.

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, GLEBE.
The Committee acknowledge, with thanks, the following contributions:—
Mrs. Addams, parcel old toys and linen
Miss Allen, Toxteth, Berlin wools
Mrs. Cargill, globe of gold fish
Mr. J. G. Hed, 2 tins biscuits
Mrs. Walter Brown, fresh eggs, jam, and honey
Mr. Kingcott, vegetables, &c.
Sir Alfred Stephen, K.C.M.G., picture
Mrs. J. Love, perambulator
Jack and Guy Belsario, books and toys
Miss Goodwin, picture cards
Mrs. Addams, old linen and pictures.
SAUL SAMUEL, Hon. Treasurer.

TRINITY CHURCH, MACDONALDTOWN.
The COMMITTEE beg to return their best THANKS for the various anonymous donations contributed to the late sale of work; also to members of the Petersham Band and others, who assisted in making the sale a success.

CAUTION.
DOBROYDE ESTATE, ASHFIELD.
All persons found Trespassing on this Estate will be prosecuted.
ED. P. RAMSAY.

DIVIDEND.
THE SYDNEY FREEHOLD LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY (LIMITED).
The interim Dividend for the past half-year, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, is now payable at the Office of the Company, 256, Pitt-street. Shareholders are requested to produce their scrip.
HERBERT WEYNTON, Manager.
Sydney, August 2, 1880.

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WOOL BROKERS,
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ENGLISH AGENCY.—The undersigned, established in London upwards of twenty years, confine themselves exclusively to a General Commission Business, are well acquainted with Australian requirements, and possess special facilities for purchasing goods to the best advantage in the English markets.
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WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.—Liberal cash advances made by the undersigned on wool and other produce placed in their hands for sale in the colonies, or for shipment to Messrs. Dalgety, Du Croz, and Co., their London firm. Advances made on stations and stock. Station stores supplied.
DALGETY, BLACKWOOD, and Co.
Offices: Exchange-buildings, Pitt-street (next Messrs. W. Laidley and Co.'s), Sydney.

WOOL.
The undersigned effects the SALE of wool in this market by private contract, and is prepared, if a satisfactory price cannot be obtained, to ship under liberal advances to his London Agent Mr. Edward Stavinhagen, under whose personal supervision, with that of Mr. Rudolph Kummerer, all consignments are realised.
HENRY AUSTIN, 35, Hunter-street.

WOOL.
TO WOOLGROWERS, MERCHANTS, and OTHERS.
THE COMING SEASON, 1880.
The near approach of the new season, causes us to remind growers to make their arrangements in good time for the disposal of their Wools, and, while thanking our friends for the business which has been entrusted to us hitherto, we have the pleasure again to offer our services for either the SALE or SHIPMENT of the New Clip.
The extension of the railways throughout the interior will cause the wool of the coming season to reach Sydney both earlier and within a shorter space of time than heretofore, and in view thereof we have made such arrangements, by securing more extensive warehouse accommodation to deal with the wool as fast as it arrives, that we can promise those who may favour us with their business, that as soon as their wool reaches the railway-station or the wharfs, we shall take IMMEDIATE DELIVERY of it.
On this point, therefore, no delay need be feared by OWNERS OF WOOL.
Our Warehouses are SPACIOUS and PARTICULARLY WELL LIGHTED, and are thus admirably adapted for the display of wools to the best advantage.
All wools are carefully examined and valued by ourselves prior to being offered at auction, thus each lot is thoroughly protected up to its full MARKET VALUE.
Instructions when given as to reserved prices are also strictly carried out. We can, therefore, confidently assure owners that every care is exercised by us in the disposal of Wools placed in our hands for sale.
In our Circular issued prior to the opening of the last Season, we therein anticipated an active demand from American and Continental buyers in this market, and the result justified our expectations, and it now affords us pleasure to inform Wool Growers that a still more animated business may be confidently looked forward to during the coming season.
The quantity of Wool sold during the past year in the Sydney market, owing to the operations of the foreign buyers, considerably exceeded what was sold in any previous year, and as the demand from the same sources, added to the requirements of the local buyers, promises this coming season to be still larger, the prospects that prices will be well maintained are very bright.
These inducements will no doubt operate largely to cause Wool growers to try this market. To those of our friends who prefer shipping to London we also offer our services.
We are always in a position to ensure best terms of freight by first-class vessels; we will therefore either ship to our Agents in England, making full advances, or we will hand over documents as we may be directed by the owners of any clips entrusted to us for shipment.
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Liberal Advances made thereon.
To such of his constituents as may desire to avail themselves of the London Market, he is enabled to offer the advantage of entrusting their consignments to the careful protection of the well-known firm of Edwin Holt and Co., London and Leeds.
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MORT and CO.'S WOOL WAREHOUSES, Sydney.
To our Constituents, and Woolgrowers generally.
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We desire to respond to this trustful preference, and are paying attention to a provision of the appliances necessary to meet the enlarging and yearly condensing WOOL SEASON. To this end, we are adding to the receiving and delivering facilities of our Warehouses at the CIRCULAR QUAY, and erecting a very capacious RECEIVING STORE, in IMMEDIATE PROXIMITY to the DARLING HARBOUR RAILWAY STATION, to which all WOOL conveyed on the Southern and Western Lines is now brought.
We have for many years dealt with at least a fifth of the wool exported from Sydney, and the arrangements alluded to will give room for the addition which we trust we may, without presumption, look for; feeling assured it will be accorded that we have ever conscientiously devoted our experience, with very active effort, to secure advantage to our constituents.
We shall continue to adhere to the rule, which has hitherto guided us, of acting as SELLING BROKERS only.
All PRODUCE is covered by Insurance against loss by fire immediately it reaches our Warehouses; and Insurance is also promptly effected on Wool in transit from Station, on request to do so from owners.
MORT and CO.,
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1 Allotment at Summer Hill, near the station, 50 x 200, £3 per foot
1 Allotment in Mullens-street, South Balmain, 30 x 100, £3 per foot
8½ Acres at Onion Point, Hunter's Hill, large frontage to Parramatta River; beautiful view. £1150.
11 Acres, frontage to Lane Cove River, £25 per acre
Lease, License, Furniture, &c., of hotel doing good business in George-street South. £200. Rent low.

A number of other valuable properties for sale on reasonable terms.

Money to Lend, from £100 to £10,000, at 6 per cent.; security, city or suburban freeholds.

COAL LAND.
For SALE, 107 ACRES, 3 miles from Bowenfels, having a large frontage to the Mudgee Road. Freehold. Price, £300. FORBES, MILLS, and CO., 89, King-street.

FORBES, MILLS, and CO. have HOUSES, Terraces, Villas, and Land, for Private SALE. 89, King-street.

LAND at Homebush, Stanmore, Summer Hill, and Petersham, Private Sale. Forbes, Mills, and Co., 89, King-st.

NORTH SHORE.—For SALE, 50 feet of LAND, fronting Arthur-street, next to Mr. Hafer's property, and splendidly situated for a private residence. JAMES YATES, Lavender Bay.

LEASE of an allotment of LAND for SALE, situated in Ultimo. For particulars apply 22, Charlotte-place.

LAVENDER BAY HEIGHTS,
NORTH SHORE.

Beautifully situated BUILDING SITES, fronting WALKER and ARTHUR STREETS, overlooking the harbour at Lavender Bay. TERMS very liberal. Plan on view at the Rooms.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

PETERSHAM.

FOR SALE,
NEW 12-ROOMED HOUSE,
CROWN OF THE HILL,
10 minutes' walk and south side of station. Built of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, wide verandahs and balconies, back and front; stable, coachhouse, wide carriage entrance at side; nicely laid out flower garden, planted with ornamental trees; also stone dwarf wall and iron palisading in front.
Land, 100 feet frontage to wide street by 132 feet, joining recreation reserve.
Land on either side may be secured.
Apply 543 (late 531), George-street.

TO BE SOLD, a bargain, an Allotment of GROUND, 30 feet frontage, main road, facing the Wesleyan College, Stanmore. Apply W. B., Post-office, King-street, Newtown.

FOR SALE, ABBOTTSFORD, 17 acres, with brick and slated homestead, garden, and long view; 320 acres, good grassed and watered paddocks, with homestead, between Liverpool and Glenfield railway stations. Richardson and Wrench.

FOR SALE, a pretty 4-roomed COTTAGE, with large outhouse, good yard, excellent water, garden back and front, elevated position. 6 doors from top of Camden-street, Newtown, adjoining new buildings; freehold title; price, £350.

MARRICKVILLE.—3 Brick COTTAGES, 4 rooms each, let at £1 4s per week, £510; also, Cottage, 5 rooms, St. Peters; Allotments, 66 x 210, £1 per foot. M. GARRATTY, Denison-street, North Kingston.

HOMEBUSH.—For SALE, most compact and highly improved PROPERTY, in area about 12 acres, with genteel and well-built Cottage Residence, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, servant's room, bath, pantry, storeroom, &c. T. F. JACKSON, 141, Pitt-street.

PARRAMATTA.—For SALE, substantial and genteel Cottage RESIDENCE (14-inch work), 4 minutes' from station, 8 rooms, kitchen, servant's room, bath, pantries, laundry, coachhouse, stable, &c.; price, low. T. F. Jackson, 141, Pitt-st.

NORTH SHORE.—For SALE, TERRACE of 4 large HOUSES, brick on stone, near Milson's Point Ferry. For particulars apply by letter, LEDGER and CO. Circular Quay.

FOR SALE, 3 5-roomed brick HOUSES, slated roof, balconies back and front, situate Hopewell-street. Apply H. Stockham, Goodhope-street, Paddington. Terms easy.

FOR SALE, Building ALLOTMENTS, Foveaux-street. Apply Southern Cross Hotel, Devonshire-street.

JAS. PRINGLE, 138, Pitt-street, over Lang's, jeweller, has for SALE, a splendid lot, Petersham, HOTEL (corner) and COTTAGE, Land 50 x 165, a bargain, £1350; £350 cash; balance at 7 per cent.

PITT and KING STREETS.—JAS. PRINGLE has for SALE House PROPERTIES from £150 to £20,000.

FOR SALE, a Terrace of 4 HOUSES, Phillip Ward. Apply 142, Liverpool-street.

HOUSE for SALE, having hall, balcony, 6 large rooms, bathroom, bay windows, washhouse, pantry, cupboard; near 'bus and rail; overlooking Judge Josephson's magnificent grounds, Enmore Road, Newtown. G. NELSON.

Horses and Vehicles.

AMERICAN BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES.
TROTTING SULKIES.
Parties in search of a thoroughly genuine and good article would do well to inspect our stock of American Buggies, Carriages, or Express Waggons, before purchasing elsewhere.
Also,
LARGE ASSORTMENT BEST AMERICAN HARNESS.
SHOWROOMS, WYNYARD-SQUARE.
BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO.,
Importers only.

DRAUGHT STALLION, Penrith.—For Private SALE, an Iron Grey Draught STALLION, 3 years old, by King Tom (imported), dam by Seath's Peter (imported), grand dam by England (imported), great grand dam by Old Lincoln or Old Clyde (imported). Apply Mr. JOHN PRICE, Auctioneer Penrith. July 26, 1880.

BUGGIES, BUGGIES, WAGGONS, CARTS, &c.
The largest, cheapest, and best assortment in the colony.
Buggies, £26; Waggons, £26; Spring-carts, £13, at
JOHN ROBERTSON'S
STEAM COACH and BUGGY MANUFACTORY,
Pitt-street, near Haymarket.
N.B.—Country visitors are invited to inspect the works.

FOR SALE, a Single-horse BROUGHAM, lightest imported; price, £100. Fitzgerald and Collins, 209, Castlereagh-street.

GOOD HORSE and BUGGY for SALE; good condition; trial given. 46, Kippax-street, Surry Hills.

FOR SALE, a strong HORSE, Harness, and cut-under hooded Sociable, a neat turnout. Apply to Mr. F. Bell, Commercial Bank head office; or to Mrs. F. Bell, Tilney, Boulevard, Petersham.

FOR SALE, handsome chestnut PONY, Buggy, and Harness, all in good order. J. Young, 143, Pitt-street.

BUGGY for SALE, light, and almost new, cheap (hooded); Harness, Horse, &c. NICOLL, Grafton Wharf.

ABBOTT (style) Tray BUGGIES, single and double. KEAREY, BROTHERS, Importers, 252, Pitt-street.

AMERICAN BUGGIES and Phaetons, a large assortment on hand. KEAREY, BROTHERS, 252, Pitt-street.

BUGGIES, Sociables, and Express Waggons, our own make, in stock. KEAREY, BROTHERS, 252, Pitt-street.

BUGGIES, Sociables, new and second-hand; Doctors Phaetons, Cabs, Waggonettes, Carts. T. Moore, 207, Oxfd-st.

W. T. ANGUS
has just unpacked and on SALE, ex Litchfield, from New York, a large addition to his fine assortment of Carriages, Buggies, Waggons, and Harness.
The Angus (patented) Buggy still maintains its high repute, and is being manufactured in great numbers to meet the demand.
Factory and Show Rooms, 101, Castlereagh-street, near King-street.

YOUNG and quiet HORSE, saddle or harness trial, only £4. ROBENS, Hordern-street, Newtown.

FOR SALE, new SPRING-CART, also Parcel Delivery Van, cheap. H. HART, Builder, Devonshire-street.

FOR SALE, light VAN, carry ton, in good order, £7. J. CUDDY, 24, Athlone-place, off Parramatta-street.

FOR SALE, cheap, in good repair, SPRING-CART, suitable for butcher or grocer. 143, Prince-street.

WANTED to LET out on Hire, light CAB and Harness. Drury's boarding-house, 147, Clarence-street.

DRAUGHT HORSE, on trial in sand, £17; Bay quiet Buggy Cob, £12; good Hack, £10. Knight.

NEW SPRING CART, Horse, and Harness, £22; Dogcart, £18; Single Buggy, £17. Knight, Castlereagh-st.

FIRST-CLASS HOODED SOCIABLE, nearly new, £45; Double Buggy, £30; Hooded Buggy, £22. Knight.

HOODED WAGGON, £34; Light Waggonette, £27; Hooded Phaeton, £35; Spring Van, £12; Harness, £2. Knight.

FOR SALE, Buggies, Waggonettes, Express and Hawkers' Waggons, Teamsters' Waggons, Spring-carts, Tip-carts, Drays, Brick Drays, &c., &c. GLASSON'S Steam Coach and Wheelwright Works, Harris-street, off George-st.

NEW Spring Cart, stanch Horse, and new Harness, Tilted Cart, £10; Business Cart, very large, £18; New Spring Carts, £15; Light Hooded Buggy, £35; Hooded Double-seated Buggy, £65; Family Sociable, £38; Tray Buggy, £30; Double Buggies, very strong and light, £30; Light Carriage, £40. E. M'CARTY and CO., 161, Castlereagh-street.

PONY Phaeton, nearly new, and Harness, £50; quiet Harness Horse, £9; Town Hack, £9; Chestnut thorough Buggy Horse, £15; all descriptions of Harness and Saddlery. E. M'CARTY and CO., 161, Castlereagh-street.

Auction Sales.

T. COSGROVE will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Grand weight-carrying cob, broken to harness
1 good van horse, subject to trial
1 splendid buggy horse
Other useful saddle and harness horses
Buggies, spring carts, trucks, vans, saddlery, and harness, &c.

Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.
Livery in this department, charges moderate, and best of forage.

Fresh Country Horse.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Samuel Clarke, of Wollongong, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut gelding, 15.2, thoroughly broken to saddle, S. or D. harness, and can be recommended to any one wanting a good reliable horse.

Fresh Country Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from C. B. Lowe, Esq., Goorce, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 12 o'clock,
5 horses, thoroughly broken to saddle and harness, in first-class condition, fresh from the country, and direct from the breeder.

Neat Turnout, Grey Pony, Buggy, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. C. Bent, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
Grey pony, buggy, and harness.
Without reserve.
N.B.—This is one of the handsomest ponies for sale in the city, very quiet, and fast; the admiration of all who see her.

Handsome well-matched pair of chestnut geldings, 5 years old, 15-1, Mail Phaeton, and harness.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Dr. Tucker, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY next, the 11th instant, at 12 o'clock,
The above.
N.B.—Without doubt this is one of the best turnouts of the kind for sale, or to be found in this city. The horses are all that can be desired, and the phaeton is built by Vial, and equal to new.

GINNINDERRA HORSES.

At Camperdown Yards,
on WEDNESDAY, 11th instant.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. Edward Smith, of Ginninderra, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Sale Yards, on WEDNESDAY next, 11th instant, at 2 o'clock,
25 head of really first-class heavy draught colts and fillies, broken and unbroken, thoroughly staunch, some of which are subject to any reasonable trial.
One of the above is a very compact heavy hairy-legged draught filly, and is equal, if not superior, to any that has yet been in the market.
☞ The name of Mr. Smith is so well known as a breeder of first-class horses that further comment is unnecessary; suffice it to say that intending purchasers will find the quality of the above lot of horses will fully maintain the reputation so long enjoyed by their breeder.

DOUBLE-SEATED BUGGY.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from A. H. Ferris, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 12 o'clock,
A second-hand double-seated buggy, in good order.
To be sold without reserve.

TATTERSALL'S MIDWINTER MEETING,
SATURDAY, 14th August.

GEORGE KISS has been favoured with instructions from James Perry, Esq., Secretary Tattersall's Club, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on MONDAY next, the 9th instant, at 12 o'clock,
The right to entrance gate, booths, stands, cake and fruit stalls, for above meeting.

Brown Gelding, by Crown Prince.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from N. Robertson, Esq., of Taralga, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
A handsome brown gelding, by Crown Prince, thoroughly broken to saddle and harness.

SALE OF GREYHOUNDS.

Comprising the whole of Mr. R. L. Tooth's Kennel.

T. S. CLIBBORN has received instructions to sell by auction, at Fennelly's Bazaar, Pitt-street, on MONDAY, 16th August,
The above, including, with others, Taskmaster, Telescope, Telemaque, Tyrant, and Twilight.
For further particulars see catalogues.

ANNUAL SALE
of
SIRES of the SEASON, RACEHORSES, &c.

T. S. CLIBBORN will hold his ANNUAL SALE of SIRES for the SEASON, RACEHORSES, &c., &c., at FENNELLY'S BAZAAR, Pitt-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, August 16 (the Monday following Tattersall's Spring Meeting), commencing at 2 o'clock p.m.
Gentlemen desirous of having their stock inserted in the catalogue will please communicate with the Auctioneer as early as possible.
163, KING-STREET.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

T. S. CLIBBORN has received instructions from M. Fennelly, Esq., to sell by auction, on an early day, the following
RACEHORSES:—
Ch h FREEMASON, by Grandmaster (imp.) out of Nydia
Br h TOMBOY, by Lord of Linne out of Happy Queen
Br c FRAGMENTS, by Angler out of Scraps
B g CLEVEDON, by Maribyrnong out of Sweetlips
B c TESTER, by The Tester out of Illumination
Br f by Rapid Bay out of Maid of Judah
Gr h by Greyskin out of Alice Grey
Ch c WOOLSORTER, by Goldsbrough out of Loup Garou's sister.
On account of the Hon. E. King Cox:
Bl horse TAMERLANE, aged, by Sir Hercules from Blooming Heather, by Victor from Blue Bell, by Gohanna from Quadroon (imp.), by Mulatto from Nigger Wench, by Whisker, her dam by Dick Andrews, Victor by Vagabond (imp.) from Lady Clifton.
On account of William Kite, Esq.:
Bay horse GLENCAIRN, 6 years, by Yattendon from Little Nell. This horse has furnished into a splendid animal, and his breeding and performances under heavy weights, must recommend him to anyone requiring a first-class sire.
On account of Thomas Rutledge, Esq.:
Brown horse SIR HERCULES, 8 years, by Barbarian from Maid of the Lake from Ladybird, by Marquis out of the Steeltrap mare.
On account of E. Goerty, Esq.:
Bay horse HYPERION, 8 years, by Lord of Linne from Miss Pittsford, by Pittsford out of Esperance, by Glaucus.
163, King-street, Sydney.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, on MONDAY, August 9,
2000 fat wethers for Messrs. J. F. and H. White
1697 fat wethers for Thomas Hungerford, Esq.
109 prime fat heifers for Hon. James White.

Trade Notice.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK are instructed to sell by auction, at the Association Yards, Homebush, on MONDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
160 prime fat bullocks for Messrs. R. Hill and Son, Grawhey
160 prime fat bullocks for Messrs. S. and W. G. Taylor, Polly Brewan
1800 prime fat wethers for James Ashcroft, Esq., Cannonbar.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from Messrs. Clarke, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the Association Yards, Homebush, on MONDAY next, the 9th instant, at 11 o'clock,
158 prime and weighty fat bullocks, in lots, from their celebrated Melville Plains estate.

FAT CATTLE and SHEEP,
for MONDAY.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, on MONDAY, 9th August, at 11 o'clock,
200 prime fat cattle, for John Town
191 ditto ditto ditto, from estate late Mr. S. Cox
80 ditto ditto cows, from Messrs. Moore and Co.
SHEEP.
1300 prime and weighty weathers, for Swift and Hann, from Groongal.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY have been instructed to offer for Private SALE,
500 Warrah-bred RAMS,
in lots to suit purchasers.

To Fruiterers and others.
Apples. Apples. Apples.

NELSON and HEWLETT have received instructions from the Clarence and Richmond Steam Navigation Co. to sell by public auction, at the Grafton Wharf, on MONDAY, 9th instant, at half-past 2 p.m. sharp,
50 cases apples, without reserve.
Terms, cash.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell by auction, at Newtown, THIS DAY, at 9, Wood, posts, and rails.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 10, Wood, posts, and rails.

Timber Sale.

SEAFORTH PROCTER will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at the Punt Wharf, Gladesville, Parramatta River, at half-past 3 o'clock,
6000 feet flooring boards, in lots to suit purchasers.

Clearing Grocery Sale.

SEAFORTH PROCTER will sell by auction, at his Mart, 727, George-street South, on TUESDAY next, at 12 o'clock,
Groceries, oilmen's stores, fittings, and sundries, removed to the mart for convenience of sale.

MORRIS and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at their Yards, King-street, Newtown, half-past 2 p.m.,
Furniture, comprising chairs, tables, piano, harmonium, sewing machine, patent earth closet, and sundries.
Also, at the risk of the former purchaser, 1 brown horse.
Without reserve.

Insolvent Estate of Frederick Scantlebury.

The Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest in unexpired Lease of Blacksmith's Shop, situated Cook's River Road, next Sir William Wallace Hotel.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from the Official Assignee to sell by auction, THIS DAY, 7th instant, at 4 o'clock, on the above Premises.

THIS DAY, 7th instant, at 2 o'clock.

STOCK-IN-TRADE OF GENERAL DEALER.

Comprising:—
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects
Tables, Chairs, Couches, Pier Glasses, Chiffoniers
Bedsteads, Bedding, Bedroom Furniture
Kitchen Utensils, Crockery, Ironmongery, Glassware
Sewing Machine, and Sundries

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from Mr. D. Cottee, in consequence of relinquishing business, to sell by auction, on the Premises, No. 80, Botany Road, Waterloo,
Without reserve.

OLD BUILDING MATERIALS of 5 HOUSES, 234, 236, 238, 240, and 242, KENT-STREET, near ERSKINE-STREET.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on MONDAY, 9th August, at 3 o'clock, on the the above property,
The above, without reserve.
N.B.—The Land to be Let on lease, having 165 feet frontage to Kent-street. Apply to the Auctioneer, 152, King-street.

INSOLVENT ESTATE OF JOHN STORM.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from the official assignee to sell by auction, on MONDAY, 9th instant, at 2.30 o'clock, on the premises, No. 2, St. Neot's-terrace, Douglas-street, off Castlereagh-street, Redfern,
Household furniture and effects
Gold watch and chain

THURSDAY, 12th JUNE, AT 11 O'CLOCK.

ON THE PREMISES, PARISIAN LAUNDRY, SHEPHERD-STREET, MARRICKVILLE.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
comprising—
Elegant DRAWING-ROOM SUITE
Walnut Tables, Chairs, Couches, Pier Glass
Pictures, Ornaments, Clocks, Carpet, Oil Cloth, Matting
Bedsteads, Spring Mattresses, Bedding, Cots
WARDROBE, Chest Drawers, Bedroom Furniture
CABINET SECRETARY, Books, Copying Press, Iron Cash Box
Kitchen Utensils, Dresser, Dinner and Tea Service
Large Cooking Stove, and Ironing Stove
HOUSE LINEN
Baker's PATENT BOX MANGLE
WASHING COPPER, BOILERS, 30 and 20 gallons
WASHING Troughs, Tubs, Wringers, Tables
HORSE, SPRING-CART, and Harness
POULTRY, Geese, Ducks, and Fowls
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
3 FLAGS and Pole, Wire and Poles, and Sundries.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from Madame Lindner, in consequence of leaving for Paris, to sell by auction, on the above premises,
Without reserve.
On view WEDNESDAY next, from 10 till 5.

BARKER and CHRISTIE will sell by auction, at their Rooms, St. Leonards, THIS DAY, at 2 o'clock,
Household furniture
Fancy goods
Sundries, &c., &c.

THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock precisely.
Under a Bill of Sale.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising Iron Bedsteads and Bedding, Chests of Drawers and Wardrobes Washstands and Sets; Loo, Dining, Toilet, and Kitchen Tables Chairs, Couches, Safes, Chiffoniers, Carpets Pictures, Pier Glasses, Glass and Crockery Ware Kitchen Utensils, and a large quantity of sundries.

DUNN and GOULD have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Central Auction Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock precisely,
Household furniture, &c., as above; no reserve.

CANOE.

DUNN and GOULD have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Central Auction Rooms, 274, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,
A thorough seaworthy canoe, with sails and gear complete.

MONDAY, at 10 o'clock precisely.
The Building MATERIALS of the CAMERA OBSCURA,
International Exhibition Grounds.

DUNN and GOULD have received instructions to sell by auction, on the International Exhibition Grounds, on MONDAY next, at 10 o'clock precisely,
The building materials of the Camera Obscura.
No reserve.

TUESDAY next, at 11 o'clock.
On the Premises, 192, Elizabeth-street, near Belmore Markets,
The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS of a 10-roomed Boarding-house, comprising
4-Post H.T. and Stump Iron Bedsteads and Bedding
Chests of Drawers, Washstands and Sets, Chairs
Sideboards, Chiffoniers, Safes, Dining and other Tables
H.H. Couches and Chairs, Pictures, Oilcloth, Ornaments
Crockery and Glassware, Clocks, Kitchen Utensils, and Sundries.

DUNN and GOULD have received instructions from Mr. O'Leary to sell by auction, on the above premises, on TUESDAY, at 10 o'clock, the above, without reserve.

ROYAL AUCTION MART, 106, King-street.
To Tobacconists and others.

S. S. JOEL will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at half-past 11, Meerschaum pipes, cherry and briar pipes, matches, pocket-books, walking sticks, pen and pocket knives, and sundries.
Terms, cash.

ROYAL AUCTION MART,
106, King-street.

To Furniture Dealers, Parties Furnishing, and Others.

UNDER BILL OF SALE.

S. S. JOEL has received instructions to sell by auction, THIS DAY, Saturday, at 11 o'clock,
Quantity of household furniture, consisting of single and double iron bedsteads, chest drawers; loo, dining, dressing, and kitchen tables, washstands and sets, green damask, leather, and chintz couches; pictures, dressing glasses, sofas, sewing-machine, chairs, large cedar cheffonier, safes, towel-horse, kitchen utensils, cutlery, platedware, and sundries.
Terms, cash.

Colonial-built Ketch
DOLPHIN,
100 tons burthen.

STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on TUESDAY, August 10, at 11 o'clock,
The fine faithfully-built ketch Dolphin, of 100 tons burthen.
Full particulars at sale.

BUGGY.

STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the ROOMS, on TUESDAY, August 10, at 11 o'clock,
A double-seated hooded buggy,
lately imported at a cost of 60 guineas,
and in use only for two months.
Now at the Rooms.

HARMONIUMS and AMERICAN ORGANS.

For Unreserved Sale,
by order of the Consignees.

STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the ROOMS, on TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, at 11 o'clock,
American organ, 6 stop; style 302
Ditto 5 ditto, 6 octaves; L.
Also,
Alexandre harmonium, 9 stop, No. 39,666, with knee swell, in resonant case.
Ditto ditto, 7 stop, 32,709, ditto
Alexandre organ harmonium, 9 stop
Full particulars at sale.
Terms liberal.

PORTER, ALE, WHISKY, GENEVA
BRANDY, SHERRY, PORT, &c.

Balance of a Small Retail Stock.
For Positive Sale.

STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at their ROOMS on TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, at 11 o'clock,
Sundry packages of wines, spirits, beers, &c.
Full particulars at sale.

CORKS.

By Order of the Consignees.

STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the ROOMS, on TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, at 11 o'clock,
14 bales corks, assorted qualities.
Full particulars at sale.

EARTHENWARE, GLASS, &c.

Just Landed.

By order of the Consignees.

STUBBS and CO. will sell by auction, at the ROOMS on FRIDAY, 13th, at 11 o'clock,
An invoice, consisting of
DESSERT and DINNER SERVICES
TOILET SERVICES, JUGS
BREAKFAST and TEA SERVICES
CUPS, SAUCERS, PLATES, DISHES, &c.
Also
SUPERIOR CUT CRYSTAL,
of late designs, in variety.
Full particulars at sale.

MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT OF JEWELLERY.

WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, 1880.

☞ TO DIAMOND MERCHANTS, JEWELLERS, AND PRIVATE BUYERS.

LADIES' HALF-HOOP DIAMOND RINGS
GENT.' SINGLE STONE and CLUSTER ditto
LADIES' GEM and FANCY ditto
GENT.'S SOLID GOLD SIGNET ditto
SOLID 18-CARAT GOLD SUITES
RICHLY SET DIAMOND and other ditto
SOLID GOLD and ENAMELLED EARRINGS
SOLID GOLD and ENAMELLED BROOCHES
SOLID GOLD and ENAMELLED BRACELETS
LADIES' GOLD NECKLETS and CHAINS
GENT.'S GOLD CHAINS and ALBERTS
GENT.'S SOLID GOLD and DIAMOND STUDS
GENT.'S SOLID GOLD SLEEVE-LINKS
LADIES' GOLD HUNTING and OPEN-FACED WATCHES
GENT.'S ditto ditto ditto ditto
LADIES' and GENT.'S SILVER WATCHES
&c., &c., &c.

MESSRS. J. LAZARUS and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Importers to submit for public auction
The above valuable and costly assortment of jewellery, watches, &c., &c.,
AT THE COMMERCIAL SALE ROOMS,
Wynyard-street,
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 11, 1880, at 11 o'clock precisely.
☞ The Auctioneers would direct the especial attention of jewellers and private buyers to this sale, as comprising some of the most choice and costly goods offered in the colony.
The goods will be on view on the day preceding and morning of sale.
Terms liberal.

ESTHERVILLE,
48, Elizabeth-street North,
nearly facing the Australian Club,
TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST, 1880.

By order of Mrs. John Solomon, who is about leaving the colony.

Highly Important Sale of nearly new, rich, and costly Furniture
SEVEN-OCTAVE FULL TRICHORD PIANO
Bed and Table Linen
Horsehair, Pulu, and other Mattresses, Palliasses, &c.
China, Plate, and Kitchen Requisites.

MESSRS. J. LAZARUS and CO. have been favoured with instructions from Mrs. Solomon to sell by auction, on the premises, as above, on TUESDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock precisely,
The whole of the VERY SUPERIOR and COSTLY FURNITURE, PLATE, GLASS, CHINA, and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, BED and BEDDING, &c., of 16 ROOMS.
☞ The whole of the above furniture is nearly new, having been purchased within the last six months.
Catalogues are in course of preparation, and will be ready on Saturday morning, and can be obtained on the premises or at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, Wynyard-street.
Furniture on view Saturday, Monday, and morning of sale.

THIS DAY, 7th August, at 11 a.m.,
at the
New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
CHINA
GLASS
PLATE
HALL, LIBRARY, DINING-ROOM and DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE
FIRST-CLASS PIANOFORTES
Bedsteads and Bedding, Chests Drawers
HANDSOME WARDROBES, Towel Horses
Carpets, Fenders, and Fireirons
Complete Set METHODIST MAGAZINE, 46 vols.

SPLENDID HAMMERLESS GUN, by Scott, with all the Tools complete, in Solid Leather Case

VALUABLE CENTRAL-FIRE BREECH-LOADING GUN, by Greener, in case

MUSICAL BOX, playing a variety of choice airs

STERLING SILVER

POWERFUL MICROSCOPE, in case, complete.

SHIP'S MEDICINE CHEST

2 SEXTANTS, by DOLLAND

THEODOLITE, by HARRIS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Australian Auction Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, THIS DAY, 7th August, at 11 a.m.,
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, GLASS, CHINA, PLATE, Valuable Breech-loading Guns, MUSICAL BOX, CHEST OF STERLING SILVER, Pianofortes, &c.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

FRIDAY, 13th August, at 11 a.m.,
at the
Australian Auction Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE
of
VALUABLE BREEDS OF POULTRY,
from
IMPORTED STOCK.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from various fanciers to sell by auction, at the Australian Auction Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on FRIDAY, 13th August, at 11 a.m.,
VALUABLE POULTRY, BRED FROM PURE IMPORTED STOCK.

Full particulars in another issue.

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Auction Sales.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTICE.

Continuation of Sale of China, Glass, &c.,
on MONDAY AFTERNOON next, the 9th instant, at half-past 2 o'clock.
comprising—
Dinner and Dessert Services, China Ornaments, Dresden Ware, Hand-painted China, Majolica Ware, Jaspar, Glassware, &c.
LOUIS COHEN, Auctioneer.

MONDAY, the 9th instant, at 11 o'clock.

Implements of Trade of a Butcher's Shop.

Sausage Machine, Horses and Carts, Household Furniture, and Effects.
At No. 241, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

LOUIS COHEN has been instructed to sell by auction, on the premises, 241, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, on MONDAY, the 9th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp,
The whole of the implements of trade, horses, carts, household furniture, and effects.
Terms, cash. No reserve.

1 Tank of New Figs, 1½-lb. Boxes
1 Tank Sultana Raisins.
Ex ship, on account of whom it may concern.

LOUIS COHEN has been instructed to sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, the 10th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
1 tank new figs
1 tank sultana raisins,
with all faults, if any.
Terms cash. No reserve.

20 Cases Whybrow's Red Herrings.

LOUIS COHEN will sell by auction, on TUESDAY, the 10th instant, at 11 o'clock,
20 cases Whybrow's red herrings, each 24 2 dozen tins.
Terms at sale.

36 Cases Stout.

On account of whom it may concern, with all faults, if any.

LOUIS COHEN has been instructed to sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, the 10th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
36 cases bottled stout.
Terms cash. No reserve.

8 Casks Walnuts
44 Cases Preserved Milk
First-class Coffee Mill
6 Sets Counter Weighing Machines.

LOUIS COHEN will sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, the 10th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
The above.
Terms cash. No reserve.

To Tobacconists, Hotel Proprietors, Private Gentlemen, and Others.

40,000 Fine Havannah Cigars, in Bond or duty paid, consisting of
2000 Cabinet
2000 El Comercio libre, Vigneros
2000 Impracto, Buevas, Finas
2000 La Orientala, Media Espre
2000 El Arte, Conchas Victoria
2000 Flor de Cuba, Regalia Chica
2000 La Carona de Espana, Trabuca
2000 Fragancia, Pigusados
2000 Buen Provecho, Culibros
2000 La Preciosa, Regalia Elegantees.

LOUIS COHEN has been favoured with instructions from the Consignees to sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, the 10th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt, without reserve,
40,000 Havannah cigars, described above.
Terms at sale.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE OF
21 Cases CHIMNEY and PIER GLASSES, in all the favourite and modern designs of frames
TOILET and DRESSING GLASSES
REP, VELVET, and SILK FURNITURE COVERINGS
FLOORCLOTHS, COCOA MATTINGS, HORSEHAIR, &c.

TUESDAY next, 10th INSTANT, at 11.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, at 11,
The above, now landing ex Hannibal.
Particulars on Monday.

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, 12th and 13th, at 11.

New Spring CLOTHING, for Men, Boys, and Youths; Shirts and Shirtings, Calicoes, Damasks, Lace Curtains, Quilts, Prints, Saxony Flannels, Alpacas, Handkerchiefs, Tweeds, Coatings, Hosiery, Hats, &c.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 123, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next,
Invoices of the above goods, just received.
Further particulars on Wednesday.

JOSEPH and CO. have received instructions from the proprietor to sell by Private Contract, the LEASE, LICENCE, GOODWILL, and FURNITURE of that very old established Hotel, the OCCIDENTAL, situated corner Wynyard-square, York, and Erskine streets. The house is handsomely furnished, with very large accommodation and good country connection, doing an extensive bar trade, admitted to be one of the most central stands in the city, close to all the principal Banks and General Post Office. Buyers should not lose the chance of securing one of the best Hotels in the city. Principals only dealt with. Full particulars, terms and inventories, and cards to view, apply JOSEPH and CO., 110, King-street.

MONDAY MORNING.

At the City Mart.

The Entire Shipment per MEATH, from Hongkong, to the consignment of Messrs. MEYERFELD and CO., comprising—
MATTINGS.
505 Rolls 4-4 Fancy Mattings—entirely new patterns
85 ditto 4-4 White ditto
20 ditto 4-4 Check.
CHAIRS.
150 Square Rattan.
RICE.
1200 Bags Best Dressed, each 56 lbs
2000 Mats ditto ditto.
No reserve.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on MONDAY, August 9th, at 11 o'clock,
The shipment of matting, chairs, and rice, as above.

MONDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 9, at 3 o'clock.
On Board the Ship SAMUEL PLIMSOLL, lying at MOORE'S WHARF.
IMMIGRANTS' SURPLUS STORES, &c.
By Order of Captain BOADEN, and The Agents, Messrs. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
TO GROCERS, STOREKEEPERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, on board the ship Samuel Plimsoll, lying at Moore's Wharf, on MONDAY AFTERNOON, 9th August, at 3 o'clock,
The whole of the IMMIGRANTS' SURPLUS STORES, comprising
PRESERVED MEATS, Tierces Prime Mess BEEF
PRESERVED POTATOES, Tierces Prime Mess PORK
FLOUR, Oatmeal, Cheese
BUTTER, Candles, Raisins
TEA, Coffee, Loaf Sugar, Treacle
PICKLES, Rice, Split Peas
CURRANTS, Mustard, Pepper
LIMEJUICE, Salt, Sago
CONDENSED EGGS, Methylated Spirits
JAMS, Barley, Soap
BAKING POWDER, Vinegar, &c., &c.
Also,
SHIP'S FITTINGS
BATHS, Old Lead, Lanterns, &c.
The good condition of the Surplus Stores of the above ship is well known, and buyers may depend on their quality. Bulk may be inspected on board the ship, at Moore's Wharf.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10.

GREAT UNRESERVED CLEARANCE SALE at the Manufactory of Mr. J. ROBERTSON, 417, Pitt-street.
Comprising—
Barouches, Sociables
Double and Single-seated Buggies, of all descriptions
Express Waggons
Pagnel Dogcarts, Bakers' Carts, &c., &c.
Hansom Cabs
Delivery Vans.
Important to Private Gentlemen, Carriage Makers, Factors, and the General Trade.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the Manufactory of Mr. J. Robertson, 417, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 10th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

WEDNESDAY, August 11.
At the City Mart.
NEW SEASON'S TEAS.
Ex MENMUIR and BENARTY
2300 Packages.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above, at 11 o'clock,
New season's teas.
Particulars in catalogues.

COLONIAL SUGAR.
GROCERIES, OILMEN'S STORES, PRESERVED PROVISIONS, &c.

FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 11, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

WEDNESDAY, August 11.
At the City Mart.
FIRST CROP TEAS.
Ex steamer MENMUIR, from FOOCHOW.
Under Instructions from Messrs. BROWN and CO.
comprising
1716 PACKAGES.

FRASER and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, August 11, at 11 o'clock,
Messrs. BROWN and CO.'S shipment of FIRST CROP TEAS.
The trade are invited to inspect the chops, as the instructions from Vendors are to clear out the shipment.

MONDAY, 9th AUGUST.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, Under instructions from the Proprietor, Who is leaving for the Country.

On the Premises, 73, LOWER FORT-STREET, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, Consisting of
Drawing-room Suite
Pier Glass, in gilt frame
Dining-room Suite
Chiffonieres, Sideboard
Chests Drawers, Toilet Tables
Half-tester and 4-post Bedsteads
Mattresses, Palliasses, Bedding, &c.
Washstands and Toilet Sets, Towel-horses
Hat and Umbrella Stand, Hall Chairs
Cutlery, E. P. Ware, Glass, China
Kitchen Requisites, and Cooking Utensils, &c., &c.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Parties Furnishing, Brokers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the above by AUCTION, on the PREMISES, 73, LOWER FORT-STREET, on MONDAY, 9th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock.
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

MONDAY, 9th AUGUST.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, GOLD and SILVER JEWELLERY, &c., consisting of
Gold Watches, O. F. and Hunting
Silver Watches, O. F., Crystal, and Hunting
Gilt Metal Boston Watches, O. F. Ditto
Keyless Crystal Watches
Gold Lockets, Half Suites
Silver Lockets, Brooches, and Earrings
Pencil Cases, Pebble Brooches, Studs and Solitaires
DIAMOND RINGS, Single Stone and Cluster.
Also
12 GOLD WALTHAM KEYLESS WATCHES.
To Jewellers, Watchmakers, Pawnbrokers, Private Buyers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the above by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY, 9th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock.
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

MONDAY, 9th AUGUST.

For Sale by Auction, ex Mail steamer,
AN INVOICE of WEST'S PATENT SPRING SOLITAIRES, in Ivory, Tortoiseshell, Ebony and Pearl, Oxydized, Fancy, &c.
To Fancy Warehousemen, Jewellers, Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on MONDAY, 9th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock.
No Reserve.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST.
For Sale by Auction, ex Rajah, from London.
50 CASES WOLVERHAMPTON GALVANIZED IRON, assorted sizes, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 feet.
To Ironmongers, Builders, Contractors, Shippers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been instructed to sell the above shipment by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock.
No Reserve.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST.
For Sale by Auction, ex Hawkesbury, from London,
20 CASES Carved Gilt Mirrors
10 ditto Box, Tray, and Dressing Glasses
2 ditto Cuckoo Clocks.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Fancy Repositories, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock.
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST.
For Sale by auction,
2 CASES Assorted Table Cutlery
1 ditto E. P. Forks and Spoons.
To Cutlers, Ironmongers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 10th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST.
For Sale by Auction, ex Tweed, from London.
10 CASES FANCY GOODS, consisting of
Mechanical Toys, Musical Boxes, Match Stands
Scissors, Knives, Gilt and Ivory Jewellery
Celluloid, Pencil Cases, Draftboards
Purses, Pocket Companions, Albums
Briar and Meerschaum Pipes, Dressing Cases
Maple-framed Engravings, Oleographs, Combs, &c.
To Toy and Fancy Warehousemen, Cutlers, Country Storekeepers, Tobacconists, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST.
For Sale by Auction,
1 CASE PERCUSSION CAPS
2 CASES CARTRIDGES
1 CASE POWDER FLASKS
5 CASES BOHEIM'S HAIR OIL, each 50 dozen
1 CASE CARTE DE VISITE frames.
To Gunsmiths, Ironmongers, Fancy Repositories, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.,
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, 2 o'clock.
ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
Second of the Season of
CHOICE ORNAMENTAL TREES, FLOWERS, and PLANTS, comprising
LARGE SPECIMEN CAMELLIAS, in TUBS
Large ditto Conifers, in great variety
Roses, Azalias, Daphnes, Magnolias
Large Tree Ferns
Cypress, Moreton Bay Figs, "Bunya Bunya"
Pelargoniums, Verbenas, Heliotropes
Pittosporums, Bignolias, Fuschias
Palms, Ferns, &c., &c.
ALL WELL ESTABLISHED IN POTS.
To Horticulturists, Amateur Gardeners, Private Gentlemen, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 107, PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, at 2 o'clock p.m.
No reserve.

Preliminary Notice.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, at the Residence of JOSEPH JONES, Esq., 50, ELIZABETH-PLACE, DARLINGHURST ROAD, the whole of his MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE (manufactured to his special order).
RICH-TONED PIANOFORTE, in walnut, folding keyboard, by Erard
STERLING SILVER PLATE
BRONZES, ORNAMENTS, &c., &c.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Brokers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from JOSEPH JONES, Esq. (who is leaving the colony), to sell by auction, on an early date, at his residence, 50, ELIZABETH-PLACE, DARLINGHURST ROAD,
His MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, of which detailed particulars will appear in future issue.
CATALOGUES in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, 107, Pitt-street.

Preliminary Notice.

ELEGANT UNRESERVED SALE by AUCTION at the residence of SAMUEL COHEN, Esq., "BARODA," MACLEAY-STREET.
The whole of his COSTLY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE &c. (expressly made to his order by Walker, of London),
STERLING SILVER PLATE
BRILLIANT-TONED GRAND PIANOFORTE, by ERARD
PAINTINGS, after the BEST MASTERS
CERAMIC WARE, in GENUINE DRESDEN and SEVRES (ancient and modern)
BRONZES and STATUARY, of great ARTISTIC MERIT
ARTICLES of VERTU,
&c., &c., &c.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Connoisseurs, Collectionists, Lovers of Fine Art, Furniture Warehousemen, Brokers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from S. COHEN, Esq. (in consequence of his early departure for Europe) to sell by auction, at his residence, "BARODA," MACLEAY-STREET, on an early date, of which due notice will be given,
His magnificent and costly HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS (of which full particulars will appear in future issue).
THE AUCTIONEERS have much pleasure in inviting the attention of the élite of Sydney and buyers generally to this magnificent collection, which will shortly be submitted by public auction for unreserved sale, and recommend them to embrace this opportunity of securing elegant specimens of cabinetware, as, without doubt, for neatness, of design, exquisite taste, and reliable workmanship, it cannot be surpassed in the colony.
THE CERAMIC WARE, Paintings, Bronzes, and Articles of Vertu have been collected without regard to cost from all parts of the world, and are, without exception, works of art of the highest order.
DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUES are in course of preparation, and will be obtainable at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, 107, Pitt-street.
HOUSE TO LET. Carpets, blinds, gasfittings, &c., can be taken at a valuation.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE BY AUCTION, MONDAY, August 9, at 11 o'clock, IN THE DOMAIN.
All those FORAGE SHEDS
CATTLE PENS and SHEDS
LAVATORY ROOMS
TICKET OFFICES
RANGES OF CLOSETS
and SUNDRIES.

JAMES RODD is instructed by the Colonial Architect (James Barnett, Esq.) to sell by public auction, on MONDAY, August 9, at 11 o'clock, upon the Ground,
The above buildings, &c., used in connection with the late International Exhibition.
Catalogues, with details of each building, now obtainable at the auctioneer's offices, 7, Wynyard-street.
After the Sale of Cattle Sheds, &c., &c., on MONDAY Next, in the Domain.
THAT OCTAGON PAVILION, next the Art Gallery, lately in use by the Pure Country Milk Co., and in every way suitable for an Aviary.

JAMES RODD is instructed to sell the above building without reserve, on MONDAY next,
Immediately after the sale of Cattle Sheds.

WEDNESDAY, August 14, at 11.
Household Drapery
Family Drapery
Men's and Boys' Clothing
Boots and Shoes.
In Packages and Open Stock.

JAMES RODD will sell by auction, without reserve,
THE ABOVE.
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

On the Premises, Native Youth Hotel, Oxford-street, opposite the Sacred Heart Chapel, at 11 a.m., on TUESDAY, 10th instant,
Superior Household Furniture,
Comprising Handsome Pier Glasses, Chiffoniers Sideboard, Couches, Tables, Chairs, Oilcloths, Pictures, Cutlery, and Kitchen Utensils.

RIEMENSCHNEIDER and CO. have received instructions from the License of the above Hotel to sell the whole of his superior household furniture by auction, without reserve, at 11 a.m., on the Premises, on TUESDAY next, the 10th instant. Offices, 178, Phillip-street.

C. CARR and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at their Rooms, 111, King-street, Clothing, Tweeds, Longcloth, Desks, Workboxes, Gold and Silver Watches, Alberts, Rings, Cutlery, Pipes, Cruets, and sundries.

THE GREAT WAVERLEY LAND SALE.

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LUGAR BRAE LUGAR BRAE
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On SATURDAY, the 21st August, on the Estate, at 3 p.m.

J. W. WATKIN will sell by auction, on SATURDAY, 21st August (say this day fortnight), on the estate,
That well-known Estate, LUGAR BRAE, comprising Lugar Brae House, of which a full description is subjoined, unless previously sold by private CONTRACT, and FIFTY-EIGHT ALLOTMENTS.

LUGAR BRAE HOUSE.—The location is second to none in Waverley. Sheltered from the westerly winds, it commands views of the ocean and up and down the coastline, which only require to be once seen to be remembered for a life-time. The building is massively built of best stone in 18-inch chiselled parapet masonry; the roof, slate, joiner's work, all picked cedar, and the furniture all of best quality. The accommodation consists of entrance hall, drawing-room, 19 feet x 16 feet 6 inches; dining-room, 17 feet 6 inches x 16 feet 6 inches; breakfast room, 16 feet 6 inches x 16 feet 6 inches; seven bedrooms, bathroom, besides 2 servants' bedrooms, wide verandahs, conservatory, kitchen, 23 feet x 22 feet, fitted with 2 cooking ranges, meat stove, pantry, wine cellar, scullery, laundry, &c.; gasfittings throughout. The water supply is ample; 4 large underground tanks, besides numerous iron tanks, and is so admirably arranged to supply bathrooms, patent w. c., kitchen, and laundry, that no town house could be better served in this respect.
Three-stall stable, coachhouse, man's room, chaff and hay store, &c., &c.; in fact, all the conveniences and comfortable surroundings which ingenuity could devise and money supply.
The grounds, in area about 2½ acres, consist of a lawn, shrubbery, garden, &c., which have cost a vast amount to bring to their present state of perfection, and which need only be seen to be appreciated.

Section 1 comprises 15 lots, having frontages to Nelson Bay Road by excellent depths.
Section 2, 17 lots, of which 9 have frontages to Lugar-street and 8 to Nelson Road.
Section 3, 10 lots, 4 to Nelson Road and 6 to Lugar-street.
Section 4, 16 lots, 6 having frontage to Lugar-street, 7 to Brae-street, and 3 to Evans-street.

The contract for constructing the Tramway has been let, and soon that which has kept Waverley back from the position which it ought to occupy amongst the suburbs will be provided, viz., a regular, economical, and comfortable mode of passenger transit.
Another opportunity for acquiring sites, such as this subdivision offers, cannot soon occur again.
Comparisons are said to be odious, that is to the inferior, and comparisons are invited and inspection solicited of this property.

The Title is first-class Freehold.
H. Heron, Esq., Hunter-street, Solicitor to the estate, will furnish all necessary information.

The Terms—One-quarter Cash; Balance by pro. notes, bearing 6 per cent. interest, having a currency of 6, 12, and 18 months.

Cards to view the House may be obtained at the Auctioneer's office, Temperance Hall, as also
Lithographs of the Subdivision.
Omnibus will leave Temperance Hall SATURDAY next, at 2.30 p.m., to convey parties desirous of inspecting this property to and from, free of expense.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from VARIOUS PROPRIETORS to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at his Rooms, 289, George-street, on NEXT THURSDAY, August 12, at 11 o'clock,
THE FOLLOWING PROPERTIES:—

WOOLLAHRA.	WELDEN COTTAGE and Land, DENISON-STREET, adjacent to the TRAMWAY.
BALMAIN.	COTTAGE and LAND, splendid view Iron Cove Road.
HARRIS PARK, PARRAMATTA.	Lots 18, 19, 20, and 21 of section 1, fronting MAIN SYDNEY ROAD and HIGH-STREET.
HOMEBUSH, UNDERWOOD ESTATE.	Lots 1, 12, and 13, section 22, fronting the PARRAMATTA ROAD.
BALMAIN.	Two Water-frontage Lots, each 20 feet to Louisa Road, Birchgrove Estate.
RYDE.	Allotments of Land, fronting Ryde and Small streets; good position.
ST. PETERS.	One Allotment fronting Alfred-street.

PLANS and FULL PARTICULARS at the Rooms of the Auctioneer, 289, George-street.
W. PRITCHARD.

In the ASSIGNED ESTATE of T. G. W. BRAY.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 289, George-street, on next THURSDAY, August 12th, at 11 o'clock,
The BALANCE of the LOTS in the above ESTATE, situated at
Whaleyborough, Leichhardt.
Terms liberal, Title, Torrens' Act.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 19th August, 1880:—

PARRAMATTA. PENNANT-STREET.	All that allotment of Land, having about 71 feet 6 inches to Pennant-street, by a depth of about 338 feet, together with house thereon. Title, good freehold. Terms easy.
BALMAIN. DARVALL-STREET. Unreserved. By order of the Mortgagee.	All that allotment of Land, having about 40 feet 3 inches to Darvall-street, by a depth of about 92 feet to lane at back, being lot 7, and known as part of the Pigeon Ground. Title, Torrens'.
NORTH SHORE. ADOLPHUS and WILSON STREETS.	Lots 19, 20, 21, and 25, Wallace's subdivision.
ASHFIELD.	Block of Land, having 272 feet to Alexandra-street, by a depth of 130 feet, with frontage to Lane Cove Creek, in lots. Title, Torrens'.

For further particulars apply to
BATT, RODD, and PURVES.

METCALFE'S (late WHITESIDE'S) ESTATE.

PENNANT-STREET, PARRAMATTA.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their CENTRAL LAND SALE ROOMS, 88, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 19th August, at 11.30 a.m., by order of the trustees,
All that ALLOTMENT of LAND and HOUSE, having a frontage of about 71 feet 6 inches to PENNANT-STREET, by a depth of about 338 feet, immediately behind the KING'S SCHOOL, and next to CATHOLIC CHURCH.
TITLE, good, FREEHOLD.
Terms very easy.
For further particulars, apply to
BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

THE WALDRON ESTATE, area about 165 Acres, and situate between THE CHISHOLM and AUBURN PARK ESTATES.

In 1 ACRE LOTS. TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Central Land Sale Rooms, 88, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 16th of September, at 11.30 a.m.,
ALL THAT VALUABLE ESTATE, situate between the two well-known properties in the CHISHOLM and AUBURN PARK ESTATES, and about equally distant from both the AUBURN and ROOKWOOD STATIONS.
The property is being subdivided by Mr. Licensed Surveyor Binsted, on an EXCEPTIONALLY LIBERAL SCALE.
TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.
TERMS—20 per cent. cash; the balance may remain payable by 4 equal instalments, at 1, 2, 3, and 4 years, bearing interest at only 6 per cent., or an allowance will be made to CASH PURCHASERS of 5 per cent. within one month from day of sale.
LITHOS and SALE PLAN will be on view in a few days.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

BURWOOD. BURWOOD.

The EDROP ESTATE with FRONTAGES to
VICTORIA-STREET, LUCAS ROAD, EDROP-STREET, and SARAH-STREET.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES have been instructed to sell the above Valuable Estate by public auction, on the ground, on
SATURDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, at 3 p.m.

This magnificent BLOCK of LAND, by its elevation commanding extensive views over the Parramatta River, Ashfield, Redmyre, and the whole surrounding country, is but three minutes' walk from the Burwood Station.
The estate has been carefully and liberally subdivided by Mr. Licensed Surveyor Binstead, as follows:—
Section 1.—36 ALLOTMENTS, having frontages severally to VICTORIA-STREET, LUCAS ROAD, EDROP-STREET, and SARAH-STREET.
Section 2.—18 ALLOTMENTS having FRONTAGES to EDROP-STREET, SARAH-STREET, and LUCAS ROAD.
Section 3.—10 ALLOTMENTS, having FRONTAGES to VICTORIA-STREET, SARAH-STREET, and EDROP-STREET.

TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.

TERMS.
15 per cent. deposit, 10 per cent. in three months, and the BALANCE in equal instalments at two and three years, bearing interest at only 6 (SIX) per cent. per annum.
Coupled with IMMEDIATE POSSESSION; no mortgage required, and with liberty on part of any purchaser to pay off balance at any time with interest only to date.

The EDROP ESTATE may fairly challenge comparison with any in this most popular suburb. Its special features being—
1. Its HIGH ELEVATION
2. Its NEARNESS to the STATION (within three minutes' walk)
3. Its FRONTAGES to good made WIDE ROADS
4. The immense advantage of being HEAVILY TIMBERED.
LARGE SALE PLAN on view at the Rooms.
LITHOGRAPHS of the subdivision, in course of preparation, will be ready in a few days.

BOTANY LAND SALE.

ATTEND THE SALE of VILLA SITES, a few yards off the BOTANY ROAD, the present 'BUS ROUTE, THIS DAY, at 3.30 o'clock.

SPECIAL 'BUS leaves the ROOMS, 114, PITT-STREET, at 2.30 o'clock to convey intending buyers to the ground, free of charge.
MILLS, PILE, and GILCHRIST, Auctioneers.

BURWOOD NORTH.

32 LARGE ALLOTMENTS, WITHIN a mile of the RAILWAY STATION.

FINE HIGH LAND, GOOD GARDEN SOIL, FRONTING GIPPS-STREET and two GOVERNMENT ROADS, AND OPPOSITE THE RESERVE.

MILLS, PILE, and GILCHRIST have been instructed to sell by auction, on the Ground, THIS DAY, AUGUST 7, at half-past 3 o'clock,
32 LARGE allotments, 66 feet frontage and depths 128 feet to 240 feet, fronting Government streets 66 feet wide, and next to the RESERVE.
LITHOS. at the Rooms.
TORRENS' TITLE.
Terms: Quarter deposit, and the balance at 5 per cent.
SPECIAL OMNIBUS leaves the BURWOOD RAILWAY STATION on the arrival of the 2.30 from Sydney, to convey intending purchasers to the ground.

LIVERPOOL.

240 ACRES of LAND, bounded in part by 10,000 acres of Government Land.
Rich Land, above flood reach, within 5 miles from the LIVERPOOL RAILWAY STATION, and ¼ a MILE from GEORGE'S RIVER.

The line for the proposed Railway to Wollongong has been surveyed and marked through the Land.

MILLS, PILE, and GILCHRIST have been instructed to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 114, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, August 17th, at 11.30 prompt,
The Land above alluded to.
LOT 1.—A farm of 100 acres, known as Murphy's Grant, at present in the occupation of Mr. M'Gregor.
The land is good and well grassed. There is a wood cottage of 3 rooms on this lot.
LOT 2.—A Farm of 100 acres, known as MOFFITT'S GRANT, adjoining Lot 1.
The land is good, and grass abundant. A portion of this lot has been cleared and cultivated.
LOT 3.—A Farm of 40 acres, adjoining Lots 1 and 2, well-timbered land.
These properties, in all 240 acres, would make a fine country estate for any gentleman fond of sporting, as there is any quantity of game to be had in the surrounding country; or for any one wanting to rear stock, as it joins a great extent of Government land.
The property would pay for subdivision into small farms, being within easy distance of the city.
Title good.
Terms at sale.

GRANVILLE. GRANVILLE.

THE NEW SUBURBAN TOWNSHIP.

FIRST GREAT LAND SALE OF SPLENDID SUBURBAN BLOCKS.

150 ACRES, subdivided into Lots of from 1 to 5 ACRES EACH.

RICH SOIL, ELEVATED POSITION.

CLOSE TO THE GRANVILLE RAILWAY STATION, only 13 miles from SYDNEY, 30 minutes run, and where the GREAT SOUTHERN and WESTERN TRUNK RAILWAY LINES MEET.

MILLS, PILE, and GILCHRIST, have been instructed to sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th, at 3 o'clock,
150 ACRES, subdivided into FINE VILLA SITES of good area, so as to give pure air and leg room.
Title Good. Terms Easy.

PARRAMATTA.

IMPORTANT SALE OF VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES, GEORGE-STREET, OPPOSITE THE COMMERCIAL BANK.
EXTENSIVE BRICK-BUILT DRAPER'S SHOP AND RESIDENCE;
THE SCHOOL OF ARTS READING-ROOM, EACH WITH EXTENSIVE BACK LAND.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

MILLS, PILE, and GILCHRIST have been instructed to sell by auction, on 18th AUGUST, ON THE GROUND, GEORGE-STREET, PARRAMATTA, opposite the COMMERCIAL BANK, at 11 o'clock,
All those valuable premises, known as the late Mr. S. Burges's, comprising the fine and comparatively new buildings at present in the occupation of Mr. POLACK, as DRAPER'S SHOP and RESIDENCE;
Also,
THE PREMISES joining, occupied as the SCHOOL OF ARTS READING-ROOM, with the ROOMS at the rear, and as the DRAMATIC CLUB and CRICKETERS' COMMITTEE ROOMS.
FULL PARTICULARS and Lithographic Plans will be ready next week.
PARTICULARS of TITLE can be obtained by applying to A. M. BETTS, Esq., Solicitor, Goulburn.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Sale of Naval Stores, at the NAVAL DEPOT, Queen's Wharf.

MILLS, PILE, and GILCHRIST have been instructed by Mr. Wilmot B. Mainprise, Paymaster in charge of the Naval Depot, Queen's Wharf, to sell by auction, at an early date, on account of the Accountant-General of H.M. Navy,
The undermentioned stores—
Worn European cordage and tarpaulin, at per cwt.
Blocks
Old iron
Old leather
Wood casks, iron-bound
Packing cases
Old canvas and hammock rags
Painted rags
Metal and tin cases
Biscuit dust
Quantity of iron hoops, staves, and numerous other small articles.
Terms, cash.

CROYDON NORTH.

SEVEN DELIGHTFULLY-SITUATED BUILDING SITES at the corner of HARRIS ROAD and QUEEN'S ROAD, a few yards north of the PARRAMATTA ROAD, and overlooking the CHARMING GROUNDS attached to ROSE BANK CONVENT, about 12 minutes' walk from the CROYDON RAILWAY STATION, and within 6 minutes' walk of the WHARF in HEN-AND-CHICKEN BAY, at which the RIVER STEAMERS call on their trips to and from the city at frequent intervals during the day.

LOT 1 is a valuable Corner Site, and has 84½ FEET frontage to HARRIS ROAD and 115 FEET to QUEEN'S ROAD.
LOTS 2 to 7—SIX GOOD SITES, each having 33 FEET frontage to HARRIS ROAD, with depths ranging from 115 FEET to 119 FEET, and Lot 7 is bounded on the south by a right-of-way.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
THE ABOVE described 7 SITES, in, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, THE MOST ELEVATED and PRETTILY situated position in CROYDON NORTH,
and in the immediate vicinity of the mansions and grounds belonging to S. H. SMYTH, Esq., A. TANGE, Esq., HY. HALLORAN, Esq., and others.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

TERMS—25 per cent. Cash; residue, 3, 6, and 9 months, interest 6 per cent.

SALE OF CROWN LAND.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Hon. JAMES HOSKINS, Minister for Lands, to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, 25th August, at 12 o'clock.
PARISH OF GORDON, COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

Lot.	No. of Portion.	Area.	Price per Acre.
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THE PICK OF BURWOOD.

8 CHARMINGLY-SITUATED VILLA SITES fronting ADA-STREET, at the corner of LUCAS ROAD, ADJOINING EDROPS, overlooking the improved grounds attached to the Rev. WM. LUMSDAINE'S RESIDENCE, and within 8 minutes' walk of the BURWOOD RAILWAY STATION.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. Bennett to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
EIGHT CHOICE VILLA SITES, in the most popular and attractive RAILWAY SUBURB of BURWOOD, on the elevated grounds north of the railway, and having the north-eastern aspect.
The view they command for loveliness, diversity, and extent cannot be surpassed in any other position of this favourite locality.
It embraces Hen and Chicken Bay, Parramatta River, Pennant Hills, and westward the beautiful undulating wooded country, right on to the MOUNTAIN RANGE.
LOT 1. A CORNER SITE, having 50 feet frontage to ADA-STREET, and 152 feet frontage to LUCAS-STREET.
LOTS 2 to 7. Six sites, having each 50 feet frontage to ADA-STREET, with depths of 153 feet to 167 feet.
LOT 8. Choice site, adjoining the residence of T. B. Rolin, Esq., and having 54 feet 9 inches frontage to ADA-STREET, with a depth on one side of 178 feet, and 167 feet on the other.
Inspection is particularly invited.
Terms, liberal, at sale.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
LITHOGRAPHS now ready.

FIRST-CLASS CITY INVESTMENT.

GEORGE-STREET NORTH.

THE PATENT SLIP HOTEL, at the corner of GEORGE-STREET NORTH and GLOBE-STREET, immediately opposite the CIRCULAR QUAY, and THREE DWELLING HOUSES in GLOBE-STREET.
RENTAL, £6 2s. per Week, or £317 4s. per Annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 13th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
GEORGE-STREET NORTH.
ALL THAT corner BLOCK of CITY LAND, having the following frontages:—
25½ FEET to GEORGE-STREET NORTH
78½ FEET to GLOBE-STREET
25 FEET to a ROADWAY on the west
ON IT at the corner is that thoroughly established and well-known business house,
THE PATENT SLIP HOTEL,
containing bar, parlour, 4 bedrooms, and kitchen.
Also, FRONTING GLOBE-STREET, are
THREE DWELLING-HOUSES, containing each 2 rooms and kitchen
The whole are substantially built of stone, and in first-class order throughout.
This attractive and really desirable city investment is well worthy of attention by those in search of eligible properties in this rapidly improving and very valuable part of the city.
It is immediately opposite the road leading to the Circular Quay, in the midst of the shipping interest; and from its close proximity to the A. S. N. Company's Wharf, as well as the Circular Quay, the corner house must draw a large trade at all hours, and the dwellings are never unoccupied.
Inspection is particularly invited.
Terms, liberal, at sale.
Title, Torrens' Act.

DOWLING-STREET, near MOORE PARK.

DWELLING-HOUSE, No. 57, DOWLING-STREET, at the corner of CHURCH-STREET, between ALBION-STREET and PARK ROAD.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
All that corner allotment of land, having 11½ FEET frontage to Dowling-street, and 56 feet to Church-street, on which is erected a two-story DWELLING-HOUSE (No. 57, Dowling-street) of brick on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing 5 rooms and kitchen, yard, with side entrance; water laid on, &c., at the rear.
A well-built dwelling, on the heights of Surry Hills, close to Moore Park, and within easy walking distance of the business parts of the city.
Cards to view at the Rooms.

SURRY HILLS, opposite the Reservoir.

Desirable RESIDENCE, No. 257, RILEY-STREET, on the elevated ground between CAMPBELL and GIPPS STREETS; also, DWELLING-HOUSE, No. 20, Little Riley-street, at the rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
All that elevated and valuable allotment of land, having 14 FEET frontage to the west side of Riley-street, with a depth of 100 feet, extending to Little Riley-street, to which it has 14 feet frontage, upon which are erected the following premises:—

RILEY-STREET.	A two-story RESIDENCE, No. 257, substantially built of stone and brick, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing 5 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom with bath, &c.; yard, water laid on, &c., at the rear.
LITTLE RILEY-ST.	No. 20, a brick-built DWELLING-HOUSE, of two rooms and kitchen; yard, with side entrance, water laid on.

*** The whole of the above premises have recently been connected with the sewer.
This is a favourably situated property, on the heights of Surry Hills, immediately opposite the RESERVOIR RESERVE, and only a short distance from Oxford-street.
*** Inspection invited. Terms, liberal, at sale.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

Small Shop and Dwelling of 2 Rooms and Kitchen, No. 118, Duke-street, east side south of Sydney-place, and near Cowper Wharf.

The Land has 20 feet Frontage to Duke-street, with a depth of 58 feet 5 inches.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above described small city property.
Title, Torrens' Act.

SUBURBAN ALLOTMENTS.

UNDERWOOD ESTATE, SUMMERHILL PLATFORM.
Allotment No. 44, Section 3, having 90 1-12 feet frontage to Smith-street, depth 165 feet.
*** On this land there is a splendid freestone quarry.

SCARBOROUGH ESTATE, LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH, BOTANY BAY.
Section 3. Blocks Nos. 11 and 22, each 66 feet frontage, depth 220 feet.
Section 4. Lots 4 and 31, each 66 feet frontage, depth 220 feet.

NEW GLASGOW, between Auburn and Parramatta Junction.
Allotment of Land, being portion of lots 45 and 46 of section 5, having 67 feet frontage to William-street, with a depth of 218 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th August, at 11 o'clock,
The abovementioned suburban lands. Plans on view at the Rooms.
Titles—Torrens' Act.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS.

FOREST LODGE, GLEBE.

BUILDING ALLOTMENT, fronting the north side of the PARRAMATTA OLD ROAD, adjoining Mr. RUSSELL'S property, and a few yards west of ROSS-STREET.
It has 33 FEET frontage to Parramatta Old Road, with a depth of 100 feet.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 20th August, at 11 o'clock,
The above described allotment at the Glebe.
Plan of position on view at the Rooms.

ENMORE.

WELL-ESTABLISHED BUSINESS HOUSE, STOKES' HOTEL, corner of ENMORE and ADDISON ROADS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 20th August, at 11 o'clock,
All that corner block of land at Enmore, having the following frontages:—
68 FEET to ENMORE ROAD
66 FEET to ADDISON ROAD,
on which is
STOKES' HOTEL,
most substantially built of brick, on stone foundation, and containing bar, 6 rooms, 2 attics, large kitchen and cellar, with stable, wash-shed, and blacksmith's forge, and large yard, &c., at the rear.
Rental, £3 per week, or £104 per annum, under lease for 10 years.
A good permanent investment, in the best position in all Enmore for a hotel, on the projected route of the tramways to Marrickville, and in the neighbourhood of a large population, and close to Alcock and Co.'s boot factory, the brick yards, and other industries in the locality.
Terms liberal, at sale.

CITY PROPERTY.

CLARENCE-STREET, between MARKET and DRUITT STREETS, and immediately opposite the MASONIC HALL.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 20th August, at 11 o'clock,
Those substantially-built and commodious premises known as the
MASONIC TEMPLE,
full particulars of which will shortly be published.
Terms at sale.
CARDS to view at the Rooms.
CHARLES DAVIS, Esq., Australian Mutual Provident Society's Offices, Pitt and Bond streets, Solicitor of the vendors.

DARLINGTON.

Tastefully-finished FAMILY RESIDENCE, in CODRINGTON-STREET, Darlington, off Newtown Road, and overlooking the grounds of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind Institution.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 20th August, at 11 o'clock,
Residence in Codrington-street, Darlington, full particulars of which will appear in a few days.
For cards to view apply at the Rooms of the auctioneers.
Terms at sale.

NORTH SHORE HEIGHTS, between Military Roads and Neutral Bay.

A FAMILY MANSION AND GROUNDS, Fronting Shell Cove and Raymond Roads, and near the Ben Boyd and Military Roads, along which an omnibus passes to and fro all day for 3d fares.

The house is within 10 minutes' walk of the steamers' wharf, Neutral Bay.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH are instructed to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 20th August, at 11 o'clock,
All that house and grounds, situated upon the summit of the HEIGHTS OVERLOOKING NEUTRAL BAY, and one of the earliest selections upon the well-known Cooper Estate.
The view is a grand one, commanding the ocean, the whole of the city and suburbs, and Port Jackson, and forming one beautiful panorama unequalled in extent and beauty.
The mansion is just completed, and is most faithfully and substantially built of brick upon stone foundations, and slated roof.
It contains the following extensive accommodation:—
GROUND FLOOR—Wide hall, drawing, dining, library, and sitting rooms.
Upper Floor—Six bedrooms, dressing-room, bathroom, and closet.
The offices comprise kitchen, servants' bedroom, laundry, storeroom, and two pantries.
The water supply is abundant, and is contained in a large tank cut in the solid rock, and connected with the house by a force-pump.
The drainage is most carefully arranged, and taken far away from the premises.
The residence has been finished throughout in first-class style, and fitted with cedar, and the principal rooms have marble mantelpieces.

Title, 99 years' leasehold, of which one year only has expired, at the low ground rent of £9 per annum.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

TO CAPITALISTS, INVESTORS, BUILDERS, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

EXTRAORDINARY SUBURBAN SALE of THE GOLDEN GROVE ESTATE, comprising 52 ACRES of LAND,
situated a few yards south of the CITY BOUNDARY, and extending westward to the NEWTOWN OLD ROAD, southward to the northern boundary of the BOROUGH of NEWTOWN, eastward to the CHISHOLM ESTATE (lately purchased by the Government), and bounded on the north by DARLINGTON and CHIPPENDALE.
Now in course of subdivision by Mr. Surveyor REUSS, Jun., into BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, to suit all classes of purchasers.
ONE-HALF of the above ESTATE will be submitted to public competition, and will be sold pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Equitable Jurisdiction, made in the cause of "Roberts v. Gibbons and others."
With the approbation of the Master in Equity,
by
RICHARDSON and WRENCH,
at
their Rooms, Pitt-street,
on
MONDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

Further particulars will appear in a future advertisement.

TERMS LIBERAL, at SALE.

Solicitors: HOLDSWORTH and EVANS, Pitt-street; STEPHEN, LAURENCE, and JAQUES, Pitt-street; A. H. M'CULLOCH, Jun., Pitt-street; THOMAS SALTER, Hunter-street; F. J. PLOMLEY, Elizabeth-street.

IN THE ESTATE of the late N. HYERONIMUS, ESQ.

CITY, SUBURBAN, and COUNTRY PROPERTIES.

DARLING NURSERY ESTATE, VICTORIA PARK.

SALT PAN CREEK, GEORGE'S RIVER.

WELLINGTON.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, at 11 o'clock,
SPLENDID BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, Rose-street, DARLING NURSERY ESTATE, North of CLEVELAND-STREET, in the City.
39 ACRES of LAND, at SALT PAN CREEK, GEORGE'S RIVER.
WELL-KNOWN ESTATE, THE MEETING OF THE WATERS, in 249 acres, together with the commodious residence and other improvements thereon, situated at the junction of the Macquarie and the Bell Rivers, adjoining the town of Wellington, and only half mile from the RAILWAY STATION.

Full particulars of the properties will shortly be published. Plans are on view at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Terms at sale.

EXTENSIVE IMPORTANT UNRESERVED LAND SALE early in SEPTEMBER NEXT.

ASHFIELD SOUTH, beautifully situated choice VILLA SITES, and GOOD BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, with frontages to MILTON-STREET, PROSPECT-STREET, and GEORGE'S RIVER ROAD, near MILTON HOUSE and GROUNDS, the late residence of the Hon. Sir HENRY PARKES, K.C.M.G., and now the property of A. SWANSON, Esq., opposite to CROYDON PARK, and within twelve minutes' walk of both the ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION and CROYDON RAILWAY STATION.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, early in September next, ON THE GROUND, about 9 ACRES of LAND, situated between CROYDON PARK and the ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION.

It is now in course of subdivision by Mr. SURVEYOR REUSS, sen., and Lithographs will be ready for distribution this month; in the meantime a plan showing the position of the property can be inspected at the Rooms.

Full particulars and day of sale will be announced in a future advertisement.

TERMS LIBERAL.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE

TO CAPITALISTS, GRAZIERS, AGRICULTURISTS, and OTHERS.

THE MOST LUXURIANT and EXTENSIVE FREEHOLD PASTORAL and AGRICULTURAL LANDS IN THE COLONY, comprising
DARTBROOK, near SCONE, in area about 14,786 ACRES, together with all Improvements, IN FIVE LOTS.
ST. HILLIERS, at MUSWELLBROOK, in area about 15,631 ACRES, together with all Improvements, IN TWO LOTS.
GUNDIBRI ESTATE, near MERRIWA, in area about 26,140 ACRES, together with all Improvements, IN SEVEN LOTS.

The above described magnificent Freehold Pastoral Estates will be submitted to public competition, and will be sold pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Equitable Jurisdiction made in the cause of Hall and another v. Hall and others, with the approbation of the Master in Equity, by
RICHARDSON and WRENCH,
AT THEIR ROOMS, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, on MONDAY, the 4th OCTOBER next, at 11 o'clock.

In addition to the above about 2000 ACRES, adjoining the town of
MUSWELLBROOK,
now being subdivided by Mr. Surveyor Binstead into BLOCKS to SUIT ALL CLASSES OF PURCHASERS, will be sold by Messrs. RICHARDSON and WRENCH,
at
EATON'S HOTEL, MUSWELLBROOK,
on
MONDAY, the 11th OCTOBER next, at 11 o'clock.

FULL PARTICULARS will appear in a future advertisement.
TERMS, LIBERAL, AT SALE.

SOLICITORS:
Messrs. HOLDEN and LAURENCE, No. 35, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

PLEVNA PARK.

THE PICK OF RANDWICK.

IT ADJOINS BISHOPCOURT, the RESIDENCE of the LORD BISHOP OF SYDNEY, and the residences and grounds belonging to GEORGE WALL, Esq., and GEORGE MOORE, Esq.
The PARK comprises an area of about 6 ACRES, all cleared, grassed, partially terraced, and planted with the choicest ornamental trees, all full grown.
THE VIEW therefrom is most picturesque, commanding the whole of Coogee, with its beautiful sandy bay, the ocean beyond, the pretty villas, and country around for some considerable distance.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, on an early date, due notice of which will shortly be published,
The above, which is now in course of subdivision by Mr. SURVEYOR BINSTED into suitable BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

In the meantime intending purchasers and parties in search of SITES in this lovely locality are invited to visit PLEVNA PARK.
The nearest approach is by way of RANDWICK OMNIBUS, getting down at the corner of AVOCA-STREET, and proceeding along Alison-street to the residence of Geo. Moore, Esq., where all information can be obtained, and the Park pointed out to visitors.
Terms at sale.

PLAN of Subdivision now on view at the Rooms.

REDMYRE LAND SALE.

A BEAUTIFULLY situated and extensive BLOCK of LAND, fronting The Boulevard, Railway-terrace, Driver's Road and other wide streets, only a few yards from the RAILWAY STATION, is now in course of subdivision, and will be SOLD, on the GROUND, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, the 9th of OCTOBER next. The TITLE is TORRENS' ACT, and the TERMS will be LIBERAL. Plan on view at the Rooms, and lithographs in course of preparation.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH.

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Auction Sales.

CAMP VALE ESTATE, RAYMOND TERRACE.

EIGHT HUNDRED (800) ACRES of country land, situate in the parish of ELDON, county of GLOUCESTER, originally granted to Richard Windeyer, adjoining Pennington's 1600 acres, and opposite to the VINEYARD of I. Marks. Commanding a large frontage to the Government road to RAYMOND TERRACE.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

, Terms, half cash, half at 7 per cent. for 12 months.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the owner to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11th, 800 acres, as above described, at RAYMOND TERRACE.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

ABSOLUTE SALE.

FITZROY-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

About 50 feet East of Bourke-street, and adjoining the KILKENNY HOTEL.

A BLOCK OF LAND, having about 66 FEET frontage to the south side of FITZROY-STREET, upon which are erected THREE BRICK COTTAGES, fronting FITZROY-STREET, and THREE fronting the Courtyard, at the rear—the whole producing a rental of about £3 4s weekly. It adjoins the property of GREGORY BOARD, Esq., and is nearly opposite to M'Neill's BUTCHER'S SHOP.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.
MESSRS. MACARTHY, ROBERTSON, and FISHER, Solicitors.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above-described property.

Plan is being prepared.

WEST BOTANY.

On Account, and at the risk and expense of the former Purchaser.

A LARGE BLOCK OF LAND having a frontage to BARNSBURY GROVE and KINGSLAND ROAD, containing an area of 3 acres 0 rood 28 perches, and being LOT 1, SECTION K of the ALPHINGTON PARK ESTATE.

TITLE, TORRENS'.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above-described block of land.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

THORNE'S SUBDIVISION, LANE COVE.

Lot 1, section 1, having an area of about 4½ ACRES, as per plan at Rooms.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above described block of land.

IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM WAINWRIGHT, Deceased.

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE of the FOLLOWING PROPERTIES:

ALLENDALE ESTATE—Farm No. 11, containing an area of five (5) acres

HASTINGS NORTH—Allotment No. 7 of section 47
Ditto No. 10 ditto 26
Ditto No. 15 ditto 30
Ditto Nos. 33 and 34 ditto 16

HASTINGS SOUTH—Allotments Nos. 7 and 8 of section 2
Ditto Nos. 73 and 74 of ditto 32
Ditto No. 65 of ditto 14

HASTINGS EAST—Allotment No. 24 of section 35
Ditto No. 26 of ditto 21
Ditto No. 52 of ditto 29
Ditto No. 3 of ditto 32
Ditto No. 12 of ditto 27

FITZROY NORTH—Allotment No. 37 of block F
Ditto No. 49 of ditto M

FITZROY SOUTH—Allotment No. 22 of section 6
Ditto No. 4 of ditto 17

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above-described 17 blocks of land, in the estate of the late WILLIAM WAINWRIGHT.

NO RESERVE.

BALMAIN FREEHOLDS.

LOT 1, COULLON-STREET, off CRESCENT-STREET, SEVEN capital BRICK COTTAGES, on SOLID STONE FOUNDATIONS, each containing VERANDAH, TWO ROOMS, and KITCHEN, with good WELLS of WATER (cemented); let to good tenants at 9s EACH weekly, or say £163 16s yearly. The LAND is about 96 feet x 66 feet; TORRENS' TITLE.

LOT 2, CRESCENT-STREET.—BUSINESS PREMISES, comprising SHOP, THREE ROOMS, &c., substantially built of brick on stone foundations, and let at 14s weekly, or say £36 8s yearly. THE LAND is about 17 feet x 93 feet.

Terms, one-half cash; balance in 2 years at 6 per cent.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above described well-built remunerative and improving properties, equal to new, at Balmain.

Mr. W. HALFNIGHTS, Estate Agent, Mullens-street, Balmain, will show the properties to intending purchasers.

GLADSTONE PARK, PETERSHAM.

LOT 4, SECTION 2, 50 FEET FRONTAGE to ALLEN-STREET, by depth of 130 FEET.

TORRENS' TITLE. PLAN AT THE ROOMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above described allotment of land, at Petersham.

PETERSHAM.

A CAPITAL BRICK HOUSE, well and substantially built on SOLID STONE foundations, containing verandah and balcony (commanding splendid views, including the lighthouse), hall, SIX ROOMS (two with folding doors), bath, &c. The front is WHITE BRICK, tucked, and the whole property is in first-class order.
THE LAND is 41 feet by 131 FEET, at the CORNER of YULE-STREET and WARDELL-STREET.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above really good and substantial house property at PETERSHAM, ON THE HEIGHTS, and in the most healthy part of this suburb.

PARRAMATTA, near the RAILWAY STATION.

A good BRICK COTTAGE RESIDENCE, on stone foundations, containing five rooms, kitchen, servant's room, &c., coach-house, stables, large water supply, garden back and front.
THE LAND has a FRONTAGE of about 100 FEET to WENTWORTH-STREET, by a depth of about 175 FEET, and is within one or two minutes' walk of the station.

PERFECT FREEHOLD TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the PROPRIETOR to sell by public auction, at their ROOMS, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST, The above-described cottage property, well and reliably built in every way, situate within two minutes' walk of the STATION at PARRAMATTA.

A DESIRABLE PROPERTY either for a RESIDENCE or INVESTMENT, having all the advantages of the country inland air with the benefits of the TOWN. The trains are very frequent and convenient, and occupy about half an hour in the journey.

INSPECTION IS INVITED.

WAVERLEY.

CHEAP BUILDING SITES, within a FEW MINUTES' WALK of TRAMWAY TERMINUS.

SUBDIVISION SALE, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 14, AT 3.30 P.M.

TWENTY-FOUR (24) Allotments, off ALBION-STREET, having frontages of 40 FEET and upwards to DOUGLAS, VARNA, and FERN STREETS and a large GOVERNMENT RESERVE.
They command panoramic views of Randwick, Botany, Newtown, and the Pacific ocean, almost immediately adjoining the "Clergy Daughters' School," "Marmion," and "Bishopscourt," the residence of the Lord Bishop of Sydney.

TORRENS' TITLE.

Terms: ¼ cash, balance by five quarterly payments.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m. SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, The above-described subdivision of land at WAVERLEY. Lithos in due course.

AN OMNIBUS will leave the Rooms of the AUCTIONEERS at 2 p.m. on day of Sale.

MONCUR-STREET, WOOLLAHRA, opposite to the NEW CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, and close to the POINT PIPER ROAD.

A detached BRICK-BUILT COTTAGE RESIDENCE, containing 7 rooms, besides pantry, hall, bathroom, shed, &c.
The land has a frontage of about 30 feet, by depth of about 90 feet to right-of-way at rear.
The TITLE is Leasehold—about 87 years to run. Ground rent VERY LOW—£3 10s yearly.

The property is in good order, is well arranged; the yard is paved, gas is laid on throughout, and the supply of water by well abundant.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 18th AUGUST, The above-described cottage residence, at present occupied by Miss Crocker, at a rental of £65 yearly.
, The demand for COTTAGE PROPERTIES in this locality is on the increase. The TRAMWAY ROUTE passes within a few yards of this property. The water-mains are now laid down past the door.

INSPECTION IS INVITED.

WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST.

ORDER OF SALE OF SUNDRY PROPERTIES to be sold by public auction, at the New Property Sale Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 11th AUGUST.

SURRY HILLS. FITZROY-STREET.	THREE BRICK COTTAGES, fronting FITZROY-STREET, and THREE fronting the Courtyard at the rear, adjoining the property of Gregory Board, Esq., and opposite Mr. M'Neil's butcher's shop.
PARRAMATTA. WENTWORTH-STREET.	A GOOD BRICK COTTAGE, 100 feet frontage to WENTWORTH-STREET, 175 feet deep, near RAILWAY STATION.
BALMAIN. COULLON-STREET, and CRESCENT-STREET.	SEVEN BRICK COTTAGES, situate in COULLON-STREET, off Crescent-street; BUSINESS PREMISES comprising SHOP, three rooms, &c., situate in CRESCENT-STREET.
SUNDRY PROPERTIES,	IN THE ESTATE of WM. WAINWRIGHT, Deceased. For Unreserved Sale.
WEST BOTANY, KINGSLAND ROAD.	LARGE BLOCK of LAND, lot 1 section K of the ALPHINGTON PARK ESTATE, fronting Barnsbury Grove and Kingsland Road; about 3 acres 28 perches.
RAYMOND TERRACE.	EIGHT HUNDRED ACRES of Land, situate in Parish of ELDON, adjoining Pennington's 1600 acres, and opposite J. Marks' vineyard, known as the CAMP VALE ESTATE.
PETERSHAM, YULE and WARDELL STREETS.	CAPITAL BRICK HOUSE, situate at corner of YULE and WARDELL STREETS. The Land has a frontage of 44 feet by depth of 131 feet.
PETERSHAM, GLADSTONE PARK.	LOT 4, SECTION 2, having 50 feet frontage to ALLEN-STREET by a depth of 130 feet.
LANE COVE, NORTH SHORE.	THORNE'S SUBDIVISION, lot 1, section 1, having an area of about 5 acres (as per plan).

HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

LANE COVE ROAD, within 100 yards of RUSSELL'S HOTEL.

A MAGNIFICENT BLOCK OF LAND, about 150 feet frontage to the MAIN ROAD, on which is erected a WELL-BUILT 3-ROOMED COTTAGE RESIDENCE; also, the foundations for another house are in.

This is a beautiful site, commanding extensive and pretty views. The 'buses run past at regular intervals daily.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 18th AUGUST, the above described capital site at North Shore, with residence thereon.
Mr. Russell, of the Great Northern Hotel, Lane Cove, will show the property to intending purchasers.

COOPER-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

THREE BRICK HOUSES, connected with SEWER, producing a rental of £85 16s yearly.
Each house contains verandah, 3 rooms, &c., and the land has a frontage of about 50 FEET.
RILEY ESTATE TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 18th AUGUST, Three brick houses in Cooper-street, Surry Hills, close to Foveaux-street, and opposite to the property of Mr. T. Winkle.

A good locality for investments, close to the city and the Haymarket, a short distance off RILEY-STREET.
INSPECTION IS INVITED.

CAMPERDOWN.

TWO COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCES, built of brick and weatherboard, each containing 5 rooms, &c., and at present let to Messrs. Magee and Robinson at a rental of £54 12s per annum.
The LAND has a frontage of 120 feet to UNIVERSITY-STREET, by a depth of 114 feet running through to THOMAS-STREET.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 18th AUGUST, The above-described cottage property, at Camperdown.
INSPECTION IS INVITED.

No. 188, PALMER-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

THE VENDOR'S LIFE INTEREST in that BRICK-BUILT PROPERTY, situate adjoining the residence of the Rev. Dr. M'GIBBON, and at present let at £75 yearly.

Title, Freehold.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 18th AUGUST, The life interest of the vendor in and to that property known as No. 188, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo.

, A good chance for a speculator.
A good property in a first-class letting locality.

EMU PLAINS, and LAPSTONE HILL.

ONE HUNDRED and THIRTY-FIVE ACRES, CONSISTING OF THREE BLOCKS, respectively 40, 55, and 40 ACRES, as per plan at the Rooms, fronting the Great Western (old) Road, and a short distance from EMU PLAINS, and LUCASVILLE STATIONS.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 18th AUGUST, The above-described 135 ACRES of LAND, at EMU PLAINS.

REDMYRE and HOMEBUSH.

THE BATHAMPTON ESTATE.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 21.
FOURTEEN ACRES of POWELL'S LAND,
Adjoining the UNDERWOOD ESTATE, subdivided into
TWENTY-NINE (29) SPLENDID BUILDING SITES, with frontages to
BERESFORD-STREET
HOMEBUSH ROAD
ALBERT-STREET
ELVA-STREET
DUKE-STREET.

, These sites have frontages varying from 66 feet to 88 feet, with depths varying from 180 feet to 315 feet.

THE BATHAMPTON ESTATE is situate about 4 minutes' walk from HOMEBUSH RAILWAY STATION, and 5 minutes' walk from REDMYRE RAILWAY STATION, adjoins the UNDERWOOD ESTATE, and is near to the MOUNT VERNON ESTATE, and also the WOOD GREEN and STRATHFIELD ESTATES.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell BY AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m. SATURDAY, 21st AUGUST, THE BATHAMPTON ESTATE, REDMYRE and HOMEBUSH.

Lithos. may be had at the Rooms.
The Property has been judiciously subdivided by Mr. SURVEYOR BINSTED.

TO BUILDING SOCIETIES, SPECULATORS, and OTHERS.

BURWOOD. BURWOOD.

SIXTEEN (16) ACRES OF LAND, FENCED IN, with COTTAGE RESIDENCE, of 5 rooms, &c., thereon, considerably improved and planted with fruit-bearing TREES, VINES, &c., adjoining HILLY'S NURSERY, and opposite to Mr. Lennartz's MAGNIFICENT ORCHARD and VINEYARD.

THE LAND has a FRONTAGE of about 1600 feet to the GEORGE'S RIVER OLD ROAD, a short distance off the BURWOOD ROAD, and close to COOK'S RIVER, by the great depth of 650 FEET.

The property could be easily subdivided or worked to advantage by an industrious person.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST, The above described property at BURWOOD, situate between the LIVERPOOL ROAD and COOK'S RIVER, a short distance off BURWOOD ROAD.

Further particulars at the Rooms.

A GOOD BLOCK FOR SUBDIVISION.

FLORENCEVILLE ESTATE, HOMEBUSH.
TEN AND A HALF (10½) ACRES, comprising Nos. 1 to 5, 9 to 14, and part of No. 15 of the Florence Ville Estate, commanding large frontages to HOMEBUSH and other ROADS, adjoining the UNDERWOOD ESTATE, and situate only a few minutes' walk from HOMEBUSH and REDMYRE STATIONS.

TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the PROPRIETOR to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST, The above described 10½ acres of GOOD SUBURBAN LAND.

PLAN ON VIEW.
Further particulars in a few days.

LANE COVE.

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATRIX of the ESTATE of the Late JAMES ROTHWELL.

THIRTY-TWO AND A-HALF (32½) ACRES, subdivided into 9 CHOICE ORCHARD FARMS, each about 3 ACRES, situate a short distance off the MAIN LANE COVE ROAD, close to WATERHOUSE'S HOTEL, and near to the CHURCH and PUBLIC SCHOOL.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST, NINE (9) ORCHARD FARMS.

LITHOS NOW READY.

THE BATHAMPTON ESTATE, REDMYRE and HOMEBUSH, subdivided into 29 LARGE BLOCKS, will be sold at auction, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m. SATURDAY AFTERNOON, 21st AUGUST, by HARDIE and GORMAN.

Lithos, at the Rooms. Terms easy, at sale.

FIRST-CLASS VILLA RESIDENCE.

BURWOOD ROAD AND CHURCH STREETS, BURWOOD.
4 minutes' walk from the station, close to the residences of Messrs. Miles, Penfold, and Forrest.

A DETACHED BRICK BUILT VILLA RESIDENCE, for many years tenanted by Mr. Scott Ross, and now occupied by Mrs. Spain.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST. The above described villa residence, situate at the corner of two main thoroughfares in BURWOOD.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

THE PROPERTIES known as belonging to Mr. JOHN MOYES, senior, situate at NEWTOWN and PYRMONT.

LOT 1.—QUEEN-STREET, NEWTOWN—TWO commodious and faithfully-built STONE RESIDENCES, with large BLOCK of LAND, close to the TOLLBAR.

LOT 2.—UNION and PYRMONT STREETS, PYRMONT—FIVE STONE-BUILT RESIDENCES, fronting UNION-STREET; and ONE STONE-BUILT SHOP, fronting PYRMONT-STREET, close to Pyrmont Bridge.

For particulars of Title apply to R. W. ROBBERDS, Esq., Solicitor, Castlereagh-street.

Preliminary Intimation.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the MORTGAGEE to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST, The above-described STONE-BUILT PROPERTIES, situate in QUEEN-STREET, NEWTOWN, and UNION and PYRMONT STREETS, PYRMONT.

Further particulars will appear in a few days.

THE GRANDEST SITE AT NORTH SHORE.

WALKER-STREET and BLUE-STREET, adjoining the NEW residence of Dr. WARD and the PUBLIC SCHOOL, opposite to the WESLEYAN CHURCH, and commanding UNEQUALLED HARBOUR VIEWS.

For Sale in ONE LOT or in SIX LOTS, as per plan.

TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST, All that block of land having a frontage of 240 FEET to WALKER-STREET 132 FEET to BLUE-STREET, with lane at the side and at the rear.

Upon this property there is sufficient BUILDING STONE READY for USE for all PRACTICAL BUILDING PURPOSES.
This CORNER SITE, either for PRIVATE RESIDENCES or BUSINESS PREMISES, is the ADMIRATION of RESIDENTS at and VISITORS to NORTH SHORE. The VIEWS of the HARBOUR, SYDNEY, and NORTH SHORE are charming. The property is distant about two minutes' walk from Lavender Bay Ferry, is situate in the centre of a large and ever increasing population, and the AUCTIONEERS can WITH CONFIDENCE RECOMMEND this land to anyone who will build on it forthwith.

PLAN AT THE ROOMS.

COUNTRY LANDS.

40 ACRES and 37 ACRES, being GRANT by purchase to THOMAS M'NEILLY, situate at CUTAWAY HILL, BERRIMA, near to MITTAGONG.
Also,
40 ACRES and 66 ACRES, selected by Mr. ALFRED WELBY, at WOODLANDS, BERRIMA.

Particulars of title from A. H. M'CULLOCH, Esq., M.P., Solicitor, Pitt-street.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from Mr. ALFRED WELBY to sell by public auction, at their Property Sale Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST, The above-described property, about which full particulars will be duly announced.
INSPECTION IS INVITED.

Mr. Welby, at Mittagong, will show intending purchasers over the property.

HOSKING'S ESTATE, adjoining MACQUARIE FIELDS and GLENFIELD RAILWAY STATIONS, HAVING TWO MILES AND A HALF FRONTAGE TO THE GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY LINE—25 MILES FROM SYDNEY.

1600 ACRES. TO BE SOLD IN LARGE BLOCKS, SUBDIVIDED INTO SUITABLE AREAS FOR HOMESTEADS FOR SYDNEY BUSINESS PEOPLE, by HARDIE and GORMAN, by Auction, at their Rooms, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 30th day of AUGUST, 1880, at Eleven o'clock a.m. prompt.

GREATEST SALE OF THE YEAR.

In submitting this Property for sale, the Auctioneers cannot speak too highly of its valuable qualities. It must be seen to be appreciated, and inspection is strongly invited before the day of sale.

It is, without exception, the finest Property on the Railway line they have ever had in their hands for sale; and the attention of the Mercantile community of Sydney, Speculators, and Investors is earnestly requested to a few of the leading features of this splendid Estate.

It is one of the FIRST and VERY BEST SELECTIONS made in the early days of the colony, and must have had an immense amount of money expended upon it to bring it to its present condition. There are upwards of 600 acres of thoroughly cleared land, and the rest is beautifully studded and artistically sheltered with valuable Box and Ironbark Trees.

The Water supply is unlimited throughout the whole estate—the whole length of the Eastern boundary having the celebrated pure waters of George's River, and from the West to the East never-failing fresh water springs, forming one large creek, called "Bunburry Current Creek," which empties itself into George's River. There are NO DENSE SCRUBS OR MARSHY COUNTRY liable to floods on the Estate, but EVERY PORTION of it BEAUTIFULLY ELEVATED and available for use at all times of the year.

The SOIL is of the richest description, and the Farm and Dairy Produce from this Estate has always been recognized as the best in the County of Cumberland, and realized the highest market prices in the Sydney market.

The SCENERY and CLIMATE cannot be surpassed. The magnificent hills on the East side of George's River not only present a grand and romantic view, but modify to a pleasant degree the North-East winds prevalent in the summer months; and on the West the high hills of Macquarie Fields intercept and subdue the rough Westerly winds prevalent in the winter months. The reputation of this locality for HEALTH and BEAUTY is proverbial amongst all who know the place, and especially by some of our now leading colonists, who passed their schoolboy days at "M'Arthur's School." In fact, the Estate is the admiration of all who visit it.

It is well adapted as subdivided for residences for business people of Sydney. The journey only occupies ONE HOUR'S PLEASANT RIDE by railway to or from Sydney, and the certainty of time of departure and arrival of trains makes it more convenient and certain, and occupies no more time than travelling by omnibus to some of the suburbs—such as Waverley or Randwick. There are at present trains running continually THROUGHOUT THE DAY, calling at Glenfield, two of which run specially to suit Sydney business people—that is, one which arrives in Sydney at a quarter to 9 a.m., and leaves Sydney at half-past 5 every evening. It is by these two trains that large numbers of Sydney business people now travel to their homes daily, for several miles beyond Glenfield.

The Estate has a large frontage of TWO MILES AND A HALF to the GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY LINE, with TWO RAILWAY STATIONS thereon, namely, Macquarie Fields and Glenfield, and a SIDING now being constructed by the Government for the conveyance of heavy goods.

Building materials are easily procurable, there being a splendid STONE QUARRY ON THE GROUND, from which the Government purchased the stone used in construction of Railway Bridges. BRICKS can be had at easy distance, viz.:—at the Brick Works, Parramatta Junction, much cheaper than they are now in Sydney. SAND and HARDWOOD, for building purposes, are abundant.

There is a large and commodious HOMESTEAD on the Estate, massively built, containing 8 rooms, large kitchen, coachhouse and stables, splendid stone underground DAIRY, and other necessary out-buildings.

On the day of sale the whole of SECTION 16 (upon which is erected the HOMESTEAD) will be sold in one lot. Upon reference to Lithographic Plan, this will be found to comprise an area of about 52 ACRES.

The property is now being placed under "TORRENS' ACT," and the title is indisputable.

Terms:—One-third cash; balance extending over a period of two years, at 6 per cent. interest.

There will be NO RESERVE and Speculators and others are reminded that this is a chance that can NEVER BE EXCELLED for safely investing for a sure and certain remunerative return, as it must be apparent to all that, as population spreads along the main railway line, this property will become of treble its present value, and that in a very short space of time.

This being the largest sale of the season, and the lots numerous, the Auctioneers have appointed a special day for the sale of this property only. Intending purchasers are respectfully requested to be punctual, as the sale will commence promptly at advertised time.

The blocks are subdivided, pegged out, and numbered by Mr. Surveyor ATCHISON.
Cards and lithograph plans at Auction Rooms.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

NORTH SHORE LAND SALE, adjoining NATHAN'S PROPERTY.

IMPORTANT SALE of GOOD BLOCKS OF LAND, at the junction of FLAT ROCK ROAD and FRENCH STREET.

TERMS EASY.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, at 11.30 o'clock, ON AN EARLY DATE, Choice sites in this rapidly improving locality, near to the Public School and Congregational Church; between the properties of Mr. Boske and Mr. Harris, and just beyond Mr. Slade's.

CLIFTON ESTATE, BURWOOD, near the Railway station.

THIS CHARMING SUBURBAN ESTATE will be sold, in BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m. SATURDAY, 28th AUGUST.

Torrens' Title. Terms Easy. LITHOS. AT THE ROOMS.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

ERSKINEVILLE, MACDONALDTOWN.

SUB-DIVISION SALE at AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 4, of about SIX (6) ACRES of LAND, adjoining ERSKINEVILLE HOUSE, portion of the well-known property of the late W. TOOGOOD, ESQ.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

C. S. JONES, ESQ., Elizabeth-street, Solicitor for vendors.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 6 ACRES of land fronting the ERSKINEVILLE ROAD, now being subdivided by Mr. Surveyor Reuss, jun.

Further particulars in due course.

Lithographs are being prepared.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

TO CAPITALISTS, INVESTORS, BUILDERS, SPECULATORS, and Others.

EXTRAORDINARY SUBURBAN SALE of THE GOLDEN GROVE ESTATE, comprising—
52 ACRES of LAND, situated a few yards South of the CITY BOUNDARY, and extending Westward to the NEWTOWN OLD ROAD, Southward to the Northern boundary of the BOROUGH of NEWTOWN, Eastward to the CHISHOLM'S ESTATE (lately purchased by the Government), and bounded on the North by DARLINGTON and CHIPPENDALE.

Now subdivided by Mr. Surveyor Reuss, jun., into building allotments to suit all classes of purchasers.

ONE-HALF of the above ESTATE will be submitted to public competion, and will be sold pursuant to a decree of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its equitable jurisdiction, made in the cause of Roberts v. Gibbons and Others.
With the approbation of the Master in Equity, by HARDIE and GORMAN, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 7th SEPTEMBER, at 11 o'clock.

Further particulars will appear in a future advertisement.
TERMS, LIBERAL, AT SALE.

SOLICITORS: Holdsworth and Evans, Pitt-street; Stephen, Laurence, and Jaques, Pitt-street; A. H. M'Culloch, Junr., Pitt-street; Thomas Salter, Hunter-street; F. J. Plomley, Elizabeth-street.

BALMAIN. BALMAIN.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 18th.

SIXTY-ONE (61) ALLOTMENTS, being a SUBDIVISION of about SEVEN (7) ACRES of LAND fronting
DARLING ROAD
COX-STREET
BEATTIE-STREET
THERRY-STREET
HARRIS-STREET.
Each allotment has a BACK ENTRANCE 20 FEET WIDE.

The property is being subdivided by Messrs. ROBERTS, HARRIS, and WESTON, SURVEYORS.

, Lithos. in due course.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 18th, The above-described properties, consisting of 61 ALLOTMENTS, centrally situated at Balmain. Freehold title.

W. C. PROCTOR, Esq., Pitt-street, VENDOR'S SOLICITOR.

HOLTERMANN'S SUBURBAN ESTATE, NORTH SHORE, OPPOSITE TO THE PUBLIC RESERVE.

FOR AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th.

THIRTY (30) ACRES, now being subdivided into GOOD BLOCKS, with back entrances, by Mr. SURVEYOR ATCHISON.

Preliminary intimation.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with instructions from B. O. HOLTERMANN, Esq., to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th, The above-described magnificent property at NORTH SHORE. Plans and lithos. will issue in due course.

WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.

CLEARANCE SALE BY AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOBER 9.

BUBB'S ESTATE, BURWOOD.

New Lithos. are being prepared, showing the sold and unsold lots.
The HOUSE will be sold with about an acre of ground.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell by auction, on the GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9th, The unsold portion of BUBB'S ESTATE, BURWOOD.

OFFERS before the sale will be considered by the auctioneers.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE EDWARD BENNETT, Esq.

WAVERLEY. WAVERLEY.

For Auction Sale, THAT LARGE and VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND, having an area of about TEN (10) ACRES situate adjoining the New WAVERLEY PARK fronting the MAIN ROAD and close to the COUNCIL CHAMBERS, now subdivided by Mr. SURVEYOR ATCHISON as per plan at the Rooms.

LITHOS. at the Rooms. TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE EDWARD BENNETT, Esq., to sell by public auction, on the GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, 2nd OCTOBER, The above-described property at WAVERLEY, with frontage to
PARK PARADE
WAVERLEY-STREET
BENNETT-STREET
BIRRELL-STREET.

Mr. A. A. Stonham, Blenheim-street, Waverley, will show intending purchasers over the ground.

MAGNIFICENT SUBURBAN PROPERTY.

For POSITIVE SALE, in consequence of the owner's projected departure for EUROPE.

THE CLIFTON ESTATE, BURWOOD, subdivided into CHARMING VILLA SITES, with frontages to
CHELTENHAM-STREET
WALLACE-STREET
CHARLES-STREET
FITZROY-STREET
MILLY-STREET,
being that CHOICE and ELEVATED BLOCK of LAND, bounded by MAIN STREETS, full width and formed, situate on the CROWN OF THE HILL, HIGHLY IMPROVED, beautifully STUDDED with STATELY TREES, distant only a FEW MINUTES' walk from the BURWOOD RAILWAY STATION, and opposite to the highly-improved properties and residences of WALTER FRIEND, Esq., JOSIAH MULLENS, Esq., T. BUTTERFIELD, Esq., Rev. G. G. HOWDEN, M. F. JOSEPHSON, Esq., A. C. JOHNSON, Esq., Rev. R. W. YOUNG, and others.

The Title is under Torrens' Act.

The SUBDIVISION is so arranged as to give purchasers the opportunity to secure BLOCKS of any SIZE, running through from STREET to STREET.
This property has been held INTACT for many years, and is the ADMIRATION of both RESIDENTS at, and VISITORS to, BURWOOD.
In addition to its PROXIMITY to the station, and the CHARACTER of the SURROUNDINGS, the land is so ELEVATED as to command most PICTURESQUE, VARIED, and EXTENSIVE VIEWS, including NORTH SHORE, the LIGHTHOUSE, and all the pretty and improved UNDULATING and PARK-LIKE country around CROYDON, BURWOOD, and ASHFIELD.
It also secures the FULL ADVANTAGE of the COOL NORTH-EASTERLY BREEZES.

, LITHOGRAPHS are NOW READY, and the Auctioneers invite inspection of the property.

TERMS—One-fourth deposit, balance in 6, 9, and 12 months, at 6 per cent. interest.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell, by order of J. B. HOWELL, Esq. (in consequence of his projected departure for Europe), at AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, at 3 o'clock, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 28, The CLIFTON ESTATE, well-known as the CHOICEST, most ACCESSIBLE, and best surrounded property in BURWOOD.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

ROCKWALL ESTATE, DARLINGHURST.

Adjoining the Properties of CHALLIS' ESTATE and Mrs. THORN.

THIS VALUABLE PROPERTY is now being SUBDIVIDED into BUILDING SITES by Mr. Surveyor Atchison, and will be submitted to public competition ON AN EARLY DATE, at the Rooms of HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers, 133, Pitt-street.

RANDWICK. RANDWICK.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, on an early date,
THAT VALUABLE PROPERTY, situate opposite to the RESIDENCES of JOHN WATKIN, Esq., and T. J. STUTCHBURY, Esq., fronting AVOCA and OTHER STREETS.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell, by order of A. LEVERIER, Esq., ON THE GROUND, on an early date. The above-described property at RANDWICK, in BLOCKS of about ONE ACRE EACH.

Further particulars in due course.

BALMORAL, BALMORAL, MIDDLE HARBOUR.

MOST IMPORTANT SUBDIVISION OF ABOUT FIFTY (50) ACRES, adjoining the GOVERNMENT RESERVE for MILITARY PURPOSES, commanding LARGE FRONTAGES to WIDE STREETS, with the FULL BENEFITS of WATER FRONTAGE, and occupying one of the BEST POSITIONS in this PICTURESQUE LOCALITY.

THE LAND is now BEING SUBDIVIDED with great care by Mr. LICENSED SURVEYOR ATCHISON, and from it views of the PACIFIC OCEAN, MANLY BEACH, and the PRETTY COUNTRY around this part of the NORTH SHORE are secured.

IT HAS ALSO A LARGE SANDY BEACH FRONTAGE.

FREEHOLD TITLE. TERMS, LIBERAL.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the PROPRIETOR to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, ON AN EARLY DATE.

The above-described large and well-situated block of WATER and MAIN ROAD FRONTAGE LAND.
PLANS and LITHOGRAPHS are in course of preparation.

SOLICITORS TO THE VENDOR—Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON.

IN THE ESTATE of the LATE EDWARD BENNETT, ESQ.

NORTH SHORE. NORTH SHORE.

SIXTEEN (16) CHOICE SITES, fronting WEST-STREET, ERNEST-STREET, TRAFALGAR-STREET, as subdivided by Mr. SURVEYOR ATCHISON, as per plan at the ROOMS.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the TRUSTEES in the ESTATE of the late EDWARD BENNETT, ESQ., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on an EARLY DATE, The above-described building sites, situate a short distance north of the PUBLIC RESERVE, and opposite to the property of B. O. HOLTERMANN, ESQ., and Bell's Gardens.

CITY LAND FOR THE PEOPLE.

The undersigned are now prepared to sell by private contract, CITY BUILDING LAND in BLACKFRIARS ESTATE, as follows:—
GEORGE-STREET WEST £40 per foot
SHEPHERD-STREET, £12 ditto
BUCKLAND-STREET, £9 10s to £15 per foot
MOORGATE-STREET, £8 per foot
GRAFTON-STREET, £10 per foot
LUDGATE-STREET, £8 per foot
KNOX-STREET, £8 per foot.

The streets are wide, the land is central and in a densely populated locality, and the TERMS are 10 PER CENT. CASH DEPOSIT
Balance at 6½ per cent. interest.

Lithographs and full particulars at the Rooms of HARDIE and GORMAN, 133, Pitt-street.

MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN SITES.

The undersigned are instructed to offer FOR PRIVATE SALE, in LARGE and SMALL BLOCKS, Some of the CHOICEST SITES in the ESTATES known as belonging to Sir Henry Parkes, K.C.M.G., situate at FAULCONBRIDGE and MOUNT ALBERT, between Springwood and Numantia Railway Stations, on the Western Line.

, A feature survey of the whole estate having been taken by Mr. Surveyor Binsted, the blocks are so arranged as to secure a good building site, and also a small portion of the sloping gully land for each lot.
Extensive views are commanded on every site. The Faulconbridge Railway Station is on the land, and the distance from Sydney by rails occupies only about 2 hours in travelling. The change of air is most agreeable and not too severe, and in every respect these lots are worthy of inspection.
Lithographs may now be obtained at the Sale Rooms, or will be forwarded by post, and further particulars obtained from the AUCTIONEERS,
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers, 133, Pitt-street.

NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE, the property of the Sydney Freehold, Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited).

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, SEPTEMBER 25th.

NINETY-FOUR (94) ALLOTMENTS, having frontages to
PARRAMATTA ROAD
YOUNG-STREET
COLLINS-STREET
ANNANDALE STREET
ALBION-STREET
RESERVE-STREET,
being Sections 30, 31, 34, and 37, and being the portion of THE ESTATE situate on the PETERSHAM SIDE of Captain Arguimbau's Residence, close to REDMOND'S ESTATE, and close to what must be the very Centre of PETERSHAM.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

TERMS—10 per cent. deposit, 10 per cent. in six months, balance in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years; interest, 6 per cent.

, Lithographs in course of preparation.

The Land is all pegged out, and will be offered so as to give purchasers the right to secure DOUBLE FRONTAGES with DOUBLE DEPTHS.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell, by order of the DIRECTORS, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m., SATURDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, 92 ALLOTMENTS in the NORTH ANNANDALE ESTATE.

NORTH SHORE.
FLAT ROCK ROAD, NEAR WHEATLEIGH.

CHOICE ALLOTMENTS.

GEO. L. COLEMAN has been favoured with instructions from Messrs. J. and J. Read to sell by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 21st instant, on the Ground, adjoining Wheatleigh, off the Flat Rock Road,
That very valuable piece of land, containing 3a. 0r. 3p., having large frontages to Chandos and Brook streets; in allotments.
Lithographs will be ready in a few days.
Title, first-class. Terms at sale.

MARANOA DISTRICT, QUEENSLAND.

KENILWORTH STATION, with 4000 Sheep.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions from Mr. A. F. Thompson to sell by auction, at the Exchange Rooms, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 18th August, 1880, at 12 o'clock.
THE KENILWORTH STATION, situated on the Wallam Creek, about 80 miles from St. George.

The run comprises an area of about 100 square miles of first-class fattening saltbush plains, open mulga and box forest country, well watered by the Wallam Creek, to which it has a frontage on both sides for 10 miles.
The improvements comprise homestead, with necessary out-buildings, woolshed, &c.
With the run will be sold—
About 2200 ewes, 6 and 8 tooth
1800 weaners
4000, more or less.

For plans and further information, apply to GRIFFITHS and WEAVER, Corner of George and Hunter streets, Sydney.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1880.
Unreserved Sale of the entire BRIDGMAN Pure MERINO STUD FLOCKS.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER are instructed by Mr. G. L. Lethbridge to sell by auction, at Singleton, on TUESDAY, August 24, commencing at 11 a.m.,
The whole of the celebrated Bridgman stud merino sheep, comprising about

624 ewes, 2 and 3 years old	138 rams
830 ewes, 3 years to 5 years old	98 rams, clothing wool
646 ewes, 4 years to 6 years old	49 rams, combing wool
462 ewes, superior studs	70 rams, combing, special studs
205 ewes, shearlings, superior studs	112 ram weaners
600 ewe weaners	58 ram weaners, superior combing
84 ewe weaners, superior studs	

749 shearlings, mixed sexes
478 wedders
611 wedder weaners.

These sheep are merinos of the highest type and purest strains, having been bred for many years with the utmost care from the original CAMDEN STOCK and Silesian Rams (5 imported in 1862) from the stud stock of Prince Leichnowsky.
Mr. Lethbridge has, since 1845, personally supervised the breeding and classing of the sheep, and has been a most successful exhibitor at the various Agricultural Shows in the colony; besides which, the Bridgman wool exhibits were awarded medals and honourable certificates at the International Exhibitions of Philadelphia and Paris.
The particular attention of breeders of merino sheep is invited to this genuine sale of the whole of one of the oldest established and most successful flocks in the colonies.
The sheep will be carefully classed into lots to suit purchasers, and will be sold without reserve.
For catalogue apply to GRIFFITHS and WEAVER, Sydney.

MAGNIFICENT PASTORAL PROPERTY.

3866 ACRES of FIRST CLASS GRAZING LAND, situated at WYBONG CREEK, near SCONE, now in the occupation of C. W. DOYLE, Esq., also 2000 SHEEP (more or less).

TITLE UNQUESTIONABLE.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from the Trustees of the late Mrs. R. Bligh to sell by auction, at Brown's (late Fulford's) Hotel, West Maitland, on TUESDAY, the 24th August, 1880,
The above valuable and well-improved property, comprising the following lots:—
Mr. F. Little's 848 acres
M. J. Fennell's 2000 ditto
F. Little's 1007 ditto
Freehold, 11 ditto,
making a total of 3866 acres, which will be submitted as a whole or in separate lots, to meet the views of intending purchasers;
also
2000 sheep (more or less).

This superb property is bounded by Wybong and Gungal Creeks, and adjoining the well-known estates of Messrs. M'Intyre, Bowman, and Bell. It embraces an area of 3866 acres (more or less) of the richest pastoral land in the colony, and is admitted to be one of the most productive and desirably situated estates in the Hunter River district. Its capacities and adaptability to fatten are unrivalled, abounding with rich and luxuriant grasses and herbage, and it is permanently watered throughout from sources which have never failed.
To meet the convenience of purchasers, this property will be offered in lots (if desirable), and apportioned according to the original surveys.
TERMS: One-third cash upon the fall of the hammer, the balance by promissory-notes, at one, two, and three years, bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, secured by mortgage over the property in the usual manner.
For further particulars apply to BRUNKER and WOLFE, Auctioneers, West Maitland, and 279, George-street, Sydney.

THE RICHEST and MOST LUXURIANT PASTORAL PROPERTY in AUSTRALIA.

THE FAMOUS WERISS CREEK STATION.

Situated in the most valuable portion of the Renowned LIVERPOOL PLAINS DISTRICT, embracing an AREA OF 12,000 ACRES, more or less, of MAGNIFICENT GRAZING LAND, well and substantially improved.

Accessible by Rail, within easy reach of the Metropolis, and now in the occupation of the proprietor.

For Sale by Auction, on WEDNESDAY, 25th AUGUST, 1880, at the HALL OF COMMERCE, SYDNEY.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions from George A. Single, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th August, 1880, at 12 o'clock,
The well-known WERISS CREEK STATION, now in the occupation of the proprietor, G. A. Single, Esq., and without exception the most desirable Pastoral property submitted to the public for many years. It adjoins and is of the same character of country as the famous Walhallow Run, and its fattening capacities cannot possibly be excelled.
The property embraces an area of about 12,000 ACRES, viz. 600 acres of freehold land
1300 ditto C.P. land, judiciously selected and completed,
And
10,000 acres (more or less) of leased Crown land, and is well and substantially improved.

THE IMPROVEMENTS, which are replete in every particular, are erected on the freehold land, and consist of commodious, well-arranged, and comfortable dwelling-house, containing 12 rooms, kitchen, and servants' room, laundry, stable with loose boxes, dove-cot, coachhouse, harness room, &c., all faithfully built of hardwood and shingled. Attached to the homestead there is an orchard well-stocked with fruit trees of the choicest kinds. The premises are bountifully and permanently supplied with water from a never-failing well, furnished with a force pump, which conducts the water to the main building. There is also a first-class paddock, containing about 30 acres, extending and commanding a frontage to Werias Creek, a horse paddock at the rear of the stable, and a STOCKYARD CAPABLE OF WORKING 2000 HEAD OF CATTLE.
THE WOOL AND SHEARING SHEDS are about a mile from the homestead, close to which is a cultivation paddock, containing 10 acres (more or less).
THE FREEHOLD AND CONDITIONALLY-PURCHASED LAND is inclosed by a substantial ironbark 2-railed fence, nearly new, subdivided into paddocks, fronting Weriah Creek.
This truly magnificent property occupies an unparalleled position. The homestead is only one mile from the railway station, which forms the junction of the Great Northern line with Tamworth and Gunnedah, consequently within easy reach of the metropolis; and possesses the advantages of telegraphic and daily postal communications. As a depot for stock, or fattening estate, the site is unquestionably one of the most desirable; surrounded by the most favourable facilities, exempt from intrusion, approximate to market, combined with all the elements which point to a largely increased prospective value, render its purchase as an investment sound and permanently operative; and to a person in quest of an easily managed, snug, comfortably arranged, healthfully situated and productive property, Weriss Creek will be found to stand pre-eminent, and may justly and confidently be termed the gem of the far-famed Liverpool Plains district.
For further particulars, apply to BRUNKER and WOLFE, Auctioneers, West Maitland, and 279, George-street, Sydney.

VALUABLE, COMPACT, and ELIGIBLY-SITUATED PASTORAL PROPERTY, THERRIBRY BILLYEENA, and VALE OF SIGHS embracing AN AREA OF 62,404 ACRES, inclusive of 152 ACRES OF FREEHOLD, and 2300 ACRES C. P. LAND, commanding FRONTAGE TO THE NAMOI RIVER, and PERMANENTLY WATERED from other sources.
Also,
10,500 MIXED SHEEP
200 HEAD of WELL-BRED CATTLE
15 HEAD of HORSES
Working Plant, and Sundries,
for SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the HALL OF COMMERCE, SYDNEY, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25, 1880.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Hall of Commerce, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th of August, 1880, at 12 o'clock,
THE ABOVE VALUABLE STATION PROPERTY.
This station is situated in the centre of the famous Liverpool Plains district, is richly grassed, and permanently watered. It commands extensive frontage to the Namoi River, and adjoins the well-known property of J. Clark, Esq., of Gullendaddy.
The sheep are of a good description, and the cattle are well-bred and quiet.
Terms—Half cash, balance at one and two years, interest 8 per cent.; or the purchaser may elect to pay the full amount of purchase money in cash.

BALLANDRY STATION.
LACHLAN DISTRICT.

ETTERSHANK, EAGLESTONE, and MANN have received instructions from Messrs. Rankin, Brothers, to offer for SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION, at Menzies' Hotel, Bourke-street West, on FRIDAY, the 27th August, 1880, at half-past 2 p.m.,
Their BALLANDRY STATION, comprising the following blocks of first-class country, viz.:—
PINYA No. 1
BALLANDRY
TUBBETA
TUBBETA NORTH
consisting of saltbush and yarran country, with some pine ridges, exceedingly healthy and well grassed, together with 32,000 first-class SHEEP, of mixed ages and sexes.
This station is centrally situated, lying as it does between Wagga Wagga and Hay, thus commanding both the Sydney and Melbourne markets.
It is abundantly watered by various creeks, which intersect the property, and 16 dams; there are also tanks on different parts of the run and one well, which, however, has never been used but in an exceptionally dry season.
The homestead and other improvements are first-class, and the run is securely enclosed, and subdivided by substantial wire and chock and log fences.
The Auctioneers have much pleasure in recommending the above property to intending buyers.
For further particulars apply ETTERSHANK, EAGLESTONE, and MANN, 45, Queen-street.

FRIDAY, 20th August, 1880.
BOULKA LAKE, ALBERT DISTRICT, New South Wales and South Australia, with 1700 Head of Cattle and 40 Horses.

CHARLES BROWN has received instructions from the administrators of the late F. R. Hume, jun., Esq., to offer for SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION, at Menzies' Hotel, Bourke-street West, on FRIDAY, 20th August, at half-past 2 p.m.,
BOULKA LAKE STATION, containing about 1100 square miles in the Albert district, N. S. W., and 300 in South Australia, on the border adjoining same; two-thirds of the country (or thereabouts), consists of good grassed sandhills, with large cotton bush flats, residue undulating plains with good creeks, and large waterholes.
Together with 1700 Head of Cattle, consisting of about 850 from 4 years and upwards, 650 from 1 to 3 years, and 100 weaners and 40 horses.
The original stock has been on the run for three years, and no fat cattle having been sold since, the bullocks have been prime for a considerable time.
The improvements consist of pine hut complete, and one mile finished, about 25,000 yards, tanking in four tanks, 13 miles wire fencing, two-wires strained and bored for six-wires.
The cattle and horses must be taken by book muster.
For further particulars apply to CHARLES BROWN, 63, Bourke-street West, Melbourne.

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Meetings.

THE HIGHLAND SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES. President—The Hon. Sir JOHN HAY, K.C.M.G. SECOND ANNUAL MEETING, PROTESTANT HALL, FRIDAY, 13th August, 1880.
TEA (provided by the Compagnoni Catering Company) at 6.45.
President's Address at 7.45
Interval of Music—Pianoforte Duet, Mrs. Colborne Fraser and Pupil; Song—"Wae's me for Prince Charlie," Miss Katie Horniman; Song—"Nanny wilt thou gang wi' me?" Mr. A. Parkinson; Duet—"Flow gently, Sweet Afton," the Misses Gilberthorpe; Quartette—"'Twas within a Mile of Edinboro' Town," Song—"Auld Robin Gray," Miss Katie Horniman. Report and balance-sheet for the past year; Speech—By the Hon. A. Campbell, M.L.C.; Speech—By the Hon. A. Stuart, M.L.A. Interval—Service of Fruit. Scotch Reel by gentlemen in costume—Highland Fling, by boys in costume. Election of officers for ensuing year.
Auld Lang Syne. God Save the Queen.
Tickets, 2s 6d and 1s 6d. Cloak Room for ladies.
GEORGE CHRISTIE, Hon. Secretary.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION TO CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN ATTENDING PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
A PUBLIC MEETING
in connexion with the above subject will be held, in the Masonic Hall, on TUESDAY, August 10th, at 8 p.m.
The Right Reverend the LORD BISHOP OF SYDNEY will preside.
Mr. Alexander Gordon, the Rev. Canon Goodman (Melbourne), the Rev. W. Hey Sharp, M.A., and others, will address the meeting.
The attendance of members of the Church of England, especially of those whose children go to the Public Schools, is urgently requested.
EVELYN G. HODGSON, M.A.

SYDNEY MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.
NOTICE.
In accordance with a Requisition signed by upwards of fifty members of the above Institution, and the 20th Clause of the Act of Incorporation, a SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF MEMBERS will be held on TUESDAY, the 10th of August next, at 8 o'clock p.m. (In consequence of Saturday, the 14th of August, as previously announced, being an inconvenient day for a large number of members, the above date has been fixed.)
Object: To consider the propriety of opening the Reading-room of the Institution on Sundays.
By order,
JOHN ROGERS, Secretary.

UNIVERSITY MUSICAL SOCIETY.
The Society will meet on MONDAY, the 9th instant, at 8 p.m., at the Guild Hall, Castlereagh-street, instead of Tuesday, at University. Full attendance particularly requested.
T. BUSHBY WILKINSON, Hon. Sec.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.
REGULAR MEETING.
The REGULAR MEETING will be held, at the offices of the Club, 163, King-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 2nd September, next, at 4 o'clock p.m.
Mr. E. Terry will move that Rule twenty-seven be repealed, and that the following rule be substituted in its place as Rule (27):—"If there be any candidate of candidates nominated for Election to the Committee, in addition to the retiring members, the election shall be decided as follows:—The Secretary shall forward to each member a list of the members nominated and retiring, together with a summary of the attendances of each member of the committee at the various Committee Meetings held during the year. On the day of election members present at the meeting shall be handed a voting paper each, containing a list of the members nominated and retiring. Any member wishing to vote shall erase the names of such candidates as he may not approve of, retaining no more than the required number, and shall hand the list to the Chairman; and the ten candidates receiving the greatest number of votes shall be the committee for the ensuing year. Provided that if on the day of election the number of candidates be reduced to ten, by withdrawal or otherwise, the ten remaining shall be the committee."
T. S. CLIBBORN, Secretary A. J. C.

PETERSHAM LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY Meets on MONDAY, the 9th, at 7.45 p.m.
Readings, Recitations, and Essays.
E. W. WARREN.

VICTORIA L.O.L., No. 16, will meet next WEDNESDAY, the 11th, at 7.30 sharp. R. SUTTON, Secretary.

NO. 3 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.
The Annual MEETING will be held, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, 25th August, at 7.30. To receive report and balance-sheet for the year ending 30th June, 1880, elect directors and auditors, and transact such other business as may be brought forward, in accordance with rules. Candidates for office must be nominated, in writing, to the secretary seven clear days before the date of meeting.
WILLIAM J. CLARKE, Secretary.

NO. 4 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.
A GENERAL MEETING of members is convened for THURSDAY, 19th instant, at half-past 7 p.m., at the offices, Pitt-street, to consider and approve of Alteration of Rules.
A ballot for the right to an advance of £200 will take place on MONDAY, 16th instant, at 9 p.m.
THOMAS MILLER, Secretary.

THE INTERCOLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE ANNUITY AND GENERAL ASSOCIATION (Limited).—The Half-yearly MEETING will be held, at the Head Offices of this Association, 263, George-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, the 16th day of August, 1880, at 4 p.m., to receive the Report of Directors and Balance-sheet for the six months ending 30th June, 1880, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order of the Board.
JAMES S. BRAY, Secretary.
263, George-street, Sydney, 5th August, 1880.

MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA.
Incorporated by Act of Parliament.
NOTICE is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of the above Association will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 20th day of August next, at half-past 2 o'clock p.m., to receive the ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT of the Directors, being for the year ended 30th June, 1880; TO ELECT TWO DIRECTORS, in the room of the Hon. J. B. Watt, M.L.C., and John Davies, Esq., M.L.A., who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election; TO ELECT AN AUDITOR, in the room of Mr. A. E. Harper, who retires under By-law 34, but is eligible for re-election; and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting, in accordance with the By-laws.
By order of the Board.
J. C. REMINGTON, Secretary.
Sydney, 29th July, 1880.
The requisite notices under By-law VI. have been given by the Hon. J. B. Watt, M.L.C., and John Davies, Esq., M.L.A., as candidates for election as Directors; and by Mr. A. E. Harper, as candidate for the Auditorship.
J. C. REMINGTON, Secretary.
Sydney, 5th August, 1880.

SYDNEY MEAT-PRESERVING COMPANY (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given that the Nineteenth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of August, 1880, at noon, to receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet to the 30th June last; to elect two Directors in the room of the Honorable G. W. Lord, Esq., M.L.C., deceased, and the Honorable John Lackey, Esq., M.L.A., who retires by rotation, and is eligible for re-election; to appoint an Auditor in the room of Edward Wrench, Esq., who retires by rotation, but is not eligible for re-election; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the Meeting in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors.
JOHN B. C. MILES, Secretary.
The Honorable JOHN LACKEY, Esq., M.L.A., and HENRY MORT, Esq., duly qualified shareholders, have given the requisite notice that they are Candidates for the vacancies in the Directorate, and LEWIS F. BAIN, Esq., has given notice that he is a Candidate for the Auditorship.
Sydney, 3rd July, 1880.

GREAT COBAR COPPER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).
NOTICE is hereby given that the NINTH HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, at NOON on TUESDAY, August 24th, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for Half-year ended June 30, 1880; to elect two Directors in lieu of Russell Barton and John Broomfield, Esquires, who retire, but are eligible for re-election; to elect two Auditors in lieu of Messrs. J. C. Taylor and G. A. Thompson, who retire, the former only being eligible for re-election; and to transact general business.
By order of the Board.
GEORGE HARDIE, Manager.
Sydney, July 23, 1880.
Candidates for the office of Director must leave notice in writing at the head office of the Company of their intention to become candidates FOURTEEN DAYS AT LEAST before the day of election.

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A COOK and LAUNDRESS waiting (middle aged), for small family. Mrs. Andrews' Registry Office, Newtown.
A FIRST-CLASS Cook, female, excellent refs. (hotel), Temora Rush preferred. Simmonds' Reg., Castlereagh-st.
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A SOBER, steady Man, good penman and arithmetician, can keep books, and is not afraid of work, seeks EMPLOYMENT, in town or country. M., 284, Palmer-street.
A GENTLEMAN seeks RE-ENGAGEMENT as Tutor in a private family; usual course of English education—French, German, Music, and Drawing; references; country preferred. Apply X. X., Herald Office.
A THOROUGHLY domesticated middle-aged person seeks an ENGAGEMENT as Housekeeper to gentlemen, or would take charge of a widower's house; highest references given. Address Mrs. Harris, Post-office, Redfern.
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BY VERY respectable Man, aged 23, as groom and coachman, can drive a pair of horses, also milk and be otherwise useful; good references; town or country. Cragg's Protestant Registry, 240, Castlereagh-street.
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NEW SOUTH WALES OPERATIVE BAKERS' ASSOCIATION.—Competent Men can be engaged, for town or country, at Society's Rooms, Hyde Park Hotel, Bathurst and Castlereagh streets. W. M'MURRICH, Secretary.
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WANTED, a SITUATION by a sober respectable middle-aged Woman; light work and light wages; very fond of children. Apply 124, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo.
WANTED, a PLACE of Trust, by a young man, with good references and fair education; not particular to being generally useful. Trust, Herald Office.
WANTED, by respectable Person, with a child, SITUATION, as Housekeeper or General Servant; would take charge of children [illegible] Herald Office.

WANTED, SITUATION by respectable Man, can drive, groom, garden, and milk. D. M., Herald Office.
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A TIDY young GIRL, to assist in housework, wanted. Apply between 11 and 12, 117, King-street.
BARMAID.—A respectable and capable young person wanted. Apply Mr. Cohen, Steyne Hotel, Manly.
ERRAND BOY wanted. Apply 9.30 a.m. the General Mercantile Agency, 353, George-street.
ERRAND BOY wanted; must be neat and smart. Apply Boyd, photographer, George-street, between 3 and 4 this afternoon.
GARDENER wanted, able to milk, &c.; good refs. Prot. Reg., 240, Castlereagh-street.
GENERAL SERVANTS wanted, for town and suburbs; Cooks, &c. Protest. Registry, 204, Castlereagh-st.
GOOD WALLERS wanted. Apply 10 a.m., D. Popplewell, 71, Margaret-street, Watson's Hotel, Church-hill.
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WANTED, a BOY, one who can ride. Apply W. Nicholls, butcher, Pitt-street, Redfern.
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WANTED, respectable GIRL, to mind baby, and be useful. Mrs. Mosham, Peacock's Point, Balmain.
WANTED, smart LAD for restaurant. Opposite Hudson's Mills, Regent-street, Redfern.
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WANTED, a Licensed CABMAN. 4, Westmoreland-street, Forest Lodge.
WANTED, a smart LAD, about 14 or 15. Robinson and Son, 200, George-street North.
WANTED, respectable BOYS, 10 o'clock. Milk Company's Office, Bay and George streets.
WANTED, a WAITER. Apply to Mr. Pavy, No. 11, Margaret-street.
WANTED, a smart YOUTH, for boot shop. Apply S. Kerr, 718, George-street, Haymarket.
WANTED, a respectable GIRL, for general housework. Apply Mrs. Toes, Burwood Road, Burwood.
WANTED, a strong LAD, or young Man, used to butcher's shop. H. Whatmore, 26, Erskine-street.
WANTED, an intelligent BOY, for the shop. T. M. Alcock, jeweller, George-street, Haymarket.
WANTED, a good second COOK. George Davis, British Lion, 635, George-street.
WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 183, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.
WANTED, a respectable General SERVANT. Apply 128, Palmer-street.
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WANTED, a GIRL, for housework. Alpha House, Dowling-street, near Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills.
WANTED, an active Youth, as Light PORTER, age 16. Wakeham's, 478, George-street.
WANTED, respectable GIRL, to assist in housework, 484, Elizabeth-street South.
WANTED, a thorough good General SERVANT. Star Hotel, 156, Castlereagh-street.
WANTED, a young GIRL, to do housework. Mrs. Rowland, 19, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo Bay.
WANTED, two respectable young persons, as Parlourmaid and Housemaid. Monday, Charlton Hotel, Market-st.
WANTED, strong GIRL, for housework and generally useful. Apply Mr. G. Blundell, Lambert-st., Campsd'n.
WANTED, single MAN, as gardener, for the country; married Couples, Butler. Glue's Labour Agency, Pitt-st.
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WANTED, a BARMAN, with the best of references. Apply at Royal Exchange Hotel.
WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply to Mrs. J. Tones, Gipps-street, Paddington.
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WANTED, a thorough General SERVANT, for gent's family. Bayswater, M'Donald-st., Glenmore Rd.
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WANTED, a thorough General SERVANT. Apply M'Namee's Hotel, Crown and Campbell sts., Surry Hills.
WANTED, a YOUTH, to attend to horses and buggy. Rose Villa, Camdenville, Newtown.
WANTED, two BOYS, a MAN, and other Servants. Miss Hall, Registry, 129, Elizabeth-street, near Market-st.
WANTED, for Manly Beach, General SERVANT, Protestant. Apply 140, Devonshire-street, Sydney.
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WANTED, a strong LAD, for the butchering. X Shortis, King and Kent streets.
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WANTED, a steady MAN, to drive a cab. J. Manning, 467, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.
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WANTED, MEN, to do some Fencing. Farey, 41, George-street West.
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WANTED, a BOY to parcel up S. R. Flour and B. Powder. S. Turner, and Co., 334, Pitt-street.
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WANTED, a SCULLERYMAN. 231, George-street.
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WANTED, a smart WAITRESS; also, a COOK. 24, Hunter-street.
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WANTED for tramways, one hundred Pick and Shovel MEN; also, 20 CUBE-SETTERS; none but good men need apply. Topham, Angus, and Co., Oxford-street.
WANTED, a first-class COOK, male; wages, two pounds (£2) per week; only first-class hand need apply; open until Monday. James V. Hanrahan, Commercial Hotel, Moss Vale.
WANTED, two Protestant SERVANTS, for clergyman's family, at Wagga; one as General Servant, the other housemaid and attend to children. Glue's Labour Agency, Pitt-street.
WANTED, first-class COOK, male; also, good plain COOK, male, for Melbourne Exhibition. Address, with copy testimonials, stating references and wages expected, to undersigned, Jos. Pickersgill, sole caterer, Melbourne Exhibition, [illegible] Queen-street, Melbourne.

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Small coal per agreement.
Other fuel at current rates.
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WANTED, 2 first-class Billiard TABLES, Alcock's preferred. Address No. 6 Box, King-street Post-office.
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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of the deceased Mr. HENRY WILSON are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the residence of his Son-in-law, Mr. W. Crowe, No. 143, Prince-street, THIS MORNING, at a quarter before 8 o'clock, and proceed to Redfern Station, from thence per train to Parkes' Platform. THOMAS, Undertaker, 111, York-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. WILLIAM STRAFFORD are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Arncliffe, Cook's River, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Rocky Point Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 747, George-street, and 140, Liverpool-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN TANNER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. William Strafford; to move from his late residence, Arncliffe, Cook's River, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock, to the Rocky Point Cemetery.

ROSE OF AUSTRALIA LODGE, U.A.O.D.—The Officers and Members are requested to attend the Funeral of our late departed BROTHER, Robert Phelan; to move from his late residence, Martain-street, Paddington, at 2 o'clock p.m., TO-DAY, to Waverley Cemetery. J. C. BEER, A.D. J. MORELLI, Sec.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. ROBERT S. FALIN are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Martin-street, off Regent-street, Paddington, at half-past 3 o'clock, to the Waverley Cemetery. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 25, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. MICHAEL FALIN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved eldest SON, Robert Stephen, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Martin-street, off Regent-street, Paddington, at half-past 3 o'clock, to the Waverley Cemetery. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 25, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM TOTTERDALE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased SON-IN-LAW, the late Robert S. Falin, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Martin-street, off Regent-street, Paddington, at half-past 3 o'clock, to the Waverley Cemetery. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 25, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. CATHERINE BERGIN, relict of the late John Bergin, are respectfully invited to attend her Funeral on SUNDAY AFTERNOON; to move from her late residence, No. 210, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo, at half-past 3 o'clock, to the Petersham Cemetery. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 25, Oxford-street.

Parliamentary Elections.

TO THE ELECTORS OF REDFERN.
Do not Pledge yourselves, as your old representative, the Hon. JOHN SUTHERLAND will be a candidate.

ELECTORS OF BALMAIN.—Do not pledge your Votes.
Alderman JOHN TAYLOR, Esq., J.P., has consented to allow himself to be nominated at the coming Election.

ELECTORS of the GLEBE.—Do not pledge yourselves. A gentleman with ability is coming.

Professions, Trades, &c.

A PUPIL TEACHER required in Ladies' School. Apply this morning, 538, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

ASSISTANT TO AN AUCTIONEER.—Applicants are informed that the situation as advertised has been filled up.
1, Lloyd's-chambers, George-street, 6th August, 1880.

BEAMSMAN wanted. Wood and Co., Glebe Tannery, Goulburn.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, for country, first-class MACHINIST. Farleigh, Nettheim, and Co., 16, York-st.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted KIPCUTTER, and Makers for children's; good hands. Davenport and Alcock, Marrkville

DRAPERY.—Wanted, good Fancy MAN, this morning, after 10. Chas. Lane, 568, George-street.

F I J I.

SUGAR CULTIVATION.

A practical Planter in Fiji wishes a PARTNER to join him in opening 600 acres of the finest Sugar Land on the Rewa River, above the site of the extensive Central Sugar Mill about to be erected by the Sydney Colonial Sugar Company, by whom the cane is to be crushed. A copy of the Company's Agreement to be entered into with the Planters can be seen at the Office of this paper, together with a report by an experienced Planter, on the capabilities of the advertiser's block.

It is intended to commence planting operations without delay, in order to save a season.

Gentlemen wishing to communicate with the undersigned should therefore do so at once.

H. S.,
Na Qere Qere, Upper Rewa.
Viti Levu, Fiji.

GIRLS wanted, to tie-off. C. Hunter's Boot Factory, Castlereagh-street.

JUNIOR CLERK wanted; must write a good hand, be quick at figures, and have a knowledge of office routine. Apply, with copy of testimonials, to Junior Clerk, care Mr. Wallace, King-street.

LITHOGRAPHIC DRAFTSMAN wanted. Address, enclosing testimonials and stating terms, Litho, Herald.

LADY wishes another to join her in Dressmaking. Address Partner, Oxford-street Post-office.

MEDICAL.—Wanted, a duly-qualified MEDICAL PRACTITIONER, registered by the Board of New South Wales, as Medical Officer to the Oddfellows' Lodge, M.U. Particulars on application to Thos. Selden, secretary, Murrurundi.

PARTNER wanted, sleeping or active, to join two practical men in purchasing a station. Write for particulars to H. M., General Post Office.

TO AMATEURS.—Wanted, ladies and gentlemen to join Dramatic Society. Particulars apply Drama, G. P. O.

TO CHEMISTS.—Wanted, a thoroughly competent ASSISTANT, for the town. Apply Chemist, Herald Office.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, 2 or 3 respectable ASSISTANTS; also 2 Cash BOYS. J. L. Hordern, 211, Pitt-street.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, a good HAIRCUTTER and SHAVER. J. Cooper, 703, George-st., Hmrkt.

TO PARENTS.—Wanted, Youth, as APPRENTICE. T. M. Alcock, jeweller, Haymarket. Premium required.

TO HAIRDRESSERS.—Wanted, an extra HAND, this day. Parisian Hairdressing Saloon, 236, George-street.

TWO BRICKLAYERS wanted. Apply between 3 and 6 o'clock, to-day. Geo. Williams, Redfern-street, West.

TO BANDMASTERS.—Wanted, a BANDMASTER, for the Manly Alliance Band, one night per week. Apply by letter, stating terms, to T. Lawson, Manly Beach.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, for country, a good General DRAPER; must produce undoubted credentials as to sobriety. Apply W. Gardiner and Co.

TO SURGEON-DENTISTS.—A duly-qualified Man, 20 years' experience, wishes to BUY a PRACTICE or Partnership. Please state terms to Cosmos, Herald Office.

TO PARENTS.—A Lithographic Artist is willing to take a young gentleman as ARTICLED PUPIL, for three years; must have a decided taste for drawing; premium required. Address Chromo, G. P. O.

TEMORA RUSH.—Two active MEN, with £50, to join advertiser in a coffee van, in connection with another business; all complete to start. All particulars at Simmonds' Registry, 222, Castlereagh-street.

TO TAILORS.—Fine opening for energetic young Man, with moderate capital, to start Business in the best part of Hunter-street; small Stock to be taken at 25 per cent. off cost price; every convenience for carrying on large trade; rent only 50s per week. Apply at once, L. Swan, plumber, Hunter-street.

No. 80. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 3rd August, 1880.
TO SURVEYORS.—Applications will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock on MONDAY, the 9th INSTANT, from Candidates for the Office of Assistant and Draughtsman in the City Surveyor's Department; salary, £250 per annum.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

VACANCY for respectable Youth, as Junior ASSISTANT. Lloyd's French Glove and Boot Depot, 10, Hunter-st.

WANTED, 2 good BASKET MAKERS, and an Apprentice. A. Fütteren, Union-street, Macdonaldtown.

WANTED, a WHEELER, also a BODY-MAKER. Apply J. Jolly, blacksmith, North Shore.

WANTED, an APPRENTICE to the Manufacturing Jewellery Trade, 113, Pitt-street.

WANTED, TINSMITH and IMPROVER; constant work to good hands. Foy's Works, George-street.

WANTED, a good SHAVER and HAIRCUTTER. Apply at once. Thompson and Serbutt, George-street.

WANTED, a good competent BRICKMAKER, one that understands burning. 755, George-street.

WANTED, a PLASTERER. Apply at building, Gipps-street, off Elizabeth-street, Haymarket.

WANTED, an APPRENTICE, to a Blacksmith. Apply W. Barrett, Cook's River Road.

WANTED, PLASTERERS and Labourers. Meek's Buildings, Harris-street, Ultimo, 9 o'clock.

WANTED, FIREMEN, at £8 per month, and SEAMEN at £6 per month. Apply to Manager Bulli Coal Company, 17, Bridge-street.

WANTED, Six good CARPENTERS, for weather-board house, country job. Apply 9 to 11 o'clock, This Morning, Gas Works, Railway Station, Redfern.

WANTED, experienced CLERK, for Hardware Firm. Must be good writer, and have some knowledge of hardware business. Box 133, General Post Office.

Apartments, Board, and Residence.

A BALCONY ROOM, furnished, to LET. 185, Bourke-street, corner William-street.

ACCOMMODATION for a Gentleman or two friends, at Guildford House, 24, Wynyard-square.

A COMFORTABLE LODGING, for respectable man. 48, Bathurst-street.

A COMFORTABLE Furnished BEDROOM for respectable young man, terms moderate. 6, Bridge-street.

A COMFORTABLE HOME, for young lady engaged during day; terms moderate, private. Apply 51, Albion-st.

A COMFORTABLE Home.—VACANCIES for 2 or 3 gentlemen. 294, Elizabeth-st., op. B'im's P'k. Piano, bath.

A COMFORTABLY furnished ROOM, for a single man. 119, Woolloomooloo-street.

A COMFORTABLE furnished BEDROOM vacant, for gentleman; no other lodgers. 114, Palmer-street.

A DRAWING-ROOM SUITE and Vacancies for gentlemen, at 20, College-street, opposite Hyde Park.

A FRONT ROOM, furnished, suit 2 gentlemen, bath, chest drawers, 5s. each. 489, Crown-street, S. H.

A FRONT balcony ROOM vacant, suit 2 or 3 gents; board optional. 63, Albion-street, S. H.

A FURNISHED ROOM, with balcony and use of kitchen. 61, Macquarie-street South, near Goulburn-street.

A FURNISHED BEDROOM to LET, suit two friends. Apply 57, Hunter-street. 5s each.

A FURNISHED BEDROOM for 2 young men, for 12s per week. 46, Castlereagh-street.

ALL the comforts of a Home offered to 2 gentlemen. Late dinner. 50, Elizabeth-street. Terms, 21s.

A NICE clean comfortable furnished front balcony ROOM, married Couple or friends. 15, Stanley-street.

APARTMENTS.—Drawing-room Suite and other Apartments vacant at Mrs. L. Hayes', 215, Macquarie-st.

APARTMENTS.—Large, cheerful, front BEDROOMS vacant. Rialto-ter., 33, Upper William-st. S., Darlinghurst.

APARTMENTS vacant for 2, at 54, Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills, adjacent to Park 'bus, &c.

APARTMENTS vacant, for two gentlemen; separate rooms; harbour view. 15, Cowper-terrace, Church-hill.

APARTMENTS vacant. 52, Phillip-street, near Colonial Secretary's Office. Mrs. Logan.

APARTMENTS vacant, for lady and gentleman, or 2 or 3 gentlemen. Colga, Brighton-street, Petersham.

APARTMENTS vacant, for gentlemen, with or without board. Watson's Temperance Hotel, 71, Margaret-street.

APARTMENTS for two boarders, 16s; Room, suit two friends, 7s; single, 5s; bath, &c. 49, Bathurst-street.

APARTMENTS vacant, at Mrs. Therry's, Hesketh, 115, Victoria-street North.

APARTMENTS vacant, gentlemen and families. Belmont House, corner York and Margaret sts., Wynyard-sq.

APARTMENTS for single gentleman, and families. 80, Victoria-street North.

APARTMENTS VACANT.—Mrs. Tanner's, Wotonga House, King-st. E., op. St. James' Church; terms moderate.

APARTMENTS vacant, for gentlemen, with board 18s; lodgings, 6s per week. 211, Elizabeth-street.

APARTMENTS for lady and gentleman, or 2 friends, front bedroom. 50, Wynyard-square. Terms moderate.

A RESPECTABLE female will find comfortable Home, No. 4, Flood's-lane, off Elizabeth-street, near Parkstreet.

ARDROSSAN HOUSE, Wynyard-square. Vacancies for families and gentlemen. Mrs. Hamilton.

A SUITE of APARTMENTS, and other vacancies, at 151 (late 183), Macquarie-street North.

AT ALBION HOUSE, 96, Elizabeth-street, vacancies for gentlemen.

AT MONA HOUSE, Wynyard-square, APARTMENTS vacant. Terms moderate.

AT Petersham, a furnished BEDROOM, 2 ladies in business. Mrs. Crofts, Elswick, Leichhardt.

AT 141, PHILLIP-STREET, two large well-furnished BEDROOMS, with every comfort, vacant.

A VACANCY for a gentleman. 205, Macquarie-street, opposite Legislative Council.

A VACANCY for one gentleman, single bedroom, at Huntly House, 100, Elizabeth-street.

A VACANCY for one Gentleman, Pine Grove, Liverpool Road, Ashfield, 5 minutes' from Station.

A VACANCY for one or two young gentlemen. Apply No. 27, Aston-terrace, Collins-street, Surry Hills.

A WELL-FURNISHED HOUSE, of, 8 rooms to LET, in Darlinghurst Road. Apply C. M., Herald.

A LARGE Balcony ROOM, for a lady and gentleman, or two gentlemen, also a separate room, now vacant. Hispaniola House, 13, Cowper-terrace, Church-hill. Terms moderate.

APARTMENTS.—Important to Families and others.—Handsome furnished Sitting and three BEDROOMS, dining room and kitchen, piano; in Paddington; £1 8s. For address apply 92, Oxford-street.

BEDROOMS vacant, at Mrs. Dawson's, 4, Lady Young-terrace, 72, Bridge-street.

BOARDERS received; a furnished Bedroom, gas, fire-place, to Let, 8s weekly. 191, Bourke-street.

BOARD and RESIDENCE for gentlemen, at 35, Darlinghurst Road, opposite Alberto-terrace.

BOARD and Residence, 18s weekly, or 3s per day, at Harrington's Restaurant, 620, George-street.

BOARD and RESIDENCE, in a private family, for 1 or 2 gentlemen, friends. 158, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo.

BOARD and RESIDENCE, double and single rooms; terms, £1. Annesley House, Charlotte-place, Church-hill.

BOARD and RESIDENCE. 32, Wynyard-square; terms moderate; bath. Mrs. Cruickshank.

BOARD and RESIDENCE, separate rooms, terms 18s., bath, &c. Mrs. Royce, 21, Albion-street.

BOARD and RESIDENCE, family or gentlemen. Mrs. Hobson's, Stack-street, Darling-street, Balmain.

BOARD and Residence for respectable young man. 127, Palmer-street, Woolloomooloo.

BOARD and RESIDENCE in a private family; vacancies, nice balcony rooms, splendid harbour view, good table, home comforts, moderate terms. Mrs. Stobo, Illawarra House, 40, Cumberland-street, Dawes Point.

BRIGHTON HOUSE.
5, Grosvenor-terrace, Church-hill,
Select Board and Residence for gentlemen.
Mrs. Phillips.

BLACK HORSE HOTEL, Richmond.—The above house is now open as a private hotel by T. ARKINSTALL, late of Kurrajong, who will be glad to welcome the friends and patrons of the old establishment, and will, by attention to their comfort with moderate charges, endeavour to sustain the reputation of the old house as in the late Mrs. Seymour's time.
Luncheons and dinners prepared on the shortest notice, by telegraph or otherwise.

CARLTON CLUB HOTEL, Elizabeth-st., Hyde Park. Most comfortable house for Families and Country Visitors.

CARLTON CLUB HOTEL.—Special terms for permanent Boarders; liberal and varied table; punctuality; baths.

CARLTON CLUB HOTEL.—More Bedroom Accommodation added this week to meet increasing demand for beds.

CARLTON HOUSE, Wynyard-sq. North.—Double and Single BEDROOMS, charges 7s per day, from 30s per week.

CHANGE OF AIR.—ELMCOURT, Moss Vale. Apply to Mrs. Bray, Elmcourt; or Mr. Lawson, 249, George-st.

COMFORTABLE furnished BEDROOMS to LET, No. 3, Bridge-street, near George-street.

COMFORTABLE furnished front ROOM to LET. 54, Yurong-street.

COMFORTABLE Lodgings for respectable single men—Room suit friends. 148, Elizabeth-st., near Liverpool-st.

COMFORTABLE furnished BEDROOM for single gentlemen, partial board if required, bath. 263, Crown-st.

COMFORTABLE BOARD and Residence, at Bombonillet House, 9, Upper William-st. N.; terms moderate.

COOGEE BAY GRAND HOTEL, overlooking Esplanade, sea wall and Pacific, sheltered from S. and W. winds.

CLYDE HOUSE, RANDWICK.—Private Boarding Establishment for families and gentlemen. Terms moderate. Mrs. Morris.

COMFORTABLE Home for 2 mechanics; moderate; no other boarders. 5, Eveleigh-terrace, Eveleigh-st., opp. Messrs. Hudson's.

DOMAIN, Parramatta, Old Government House, centre of Park. Private Boarding Establishment.

ESSENDON HOUSE, 42, Castlereagh-street, near Hunter-st. Vacancy for 1 gentleman and 1 lady; terms, 21s.

EXCELLENT accommodation for gentlemen. The Royal Family Hotel, Milson's Point, North Shore; terms mod.

EXCELLENT Accommodation for Boarders; balcony room; terms mod. George and Albert sts., Macdonaldtown.

FRONT ROOMS vacant, pleasantly situated. 175, Macquarie-street, near Domain entrance. Terms moderate.

FRONT PARLOUR, furnished, suit married couple, or two gentlemen, quiet and central. 38, Yurong-street.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS, for one or two respectable young men. 63, Stanley-street, Woolloomooloo.

FURNISHED BEDROOM to LET, suit two gentlemen. Apply Mr. Hornburg, 533, George-street, Brickfield-hill.

FURNISHED Bed and Sitting ROOM; use of kitchen. 88, Cooper-street, Surry Hills.

FURNISHED Balcony ROOM, suit married couple or 2 gentlemen, use of kitchen. 171, Bourke-street.

FURNISHED ROOM, with verandah, use of kitchen and conveniences. 360, Bourke-street, near Oxford-street.

FURNISHED or unfurnished APARTMENTS; use kitchen; terms mod. 409, Dowling-street, Moore Park.

FURNISHED ROOM to LET, bath, &c., board optional, private family. 117, Devonshire-street.

FURNISHED ROOMS for single men, 4s and 5s per week. 182, Prince-street, Church-hill.

FURNISHED BEDROOM, for two, with use of kitchen, 5s each; or single Bedroom, 8s. H. Schneberger, news agent, 60, Oxford-street.

LARGE Balcony BED and Sitting ROOM; kitchen, bath, 10s. Donnelly, grocer, Dowling-street, off Oxford-st.

LODGINGS for single men, with or without board. 52, Bathurst-street, Eady-terrace.

LODGINGS for a respectable young man; bath. 324, Castlereagh-street, near Goulburn-street.

MILSON'S POINT.—Furnished HOUSE, 5 rooms, to LET. Mrs. Paul, Milson's Point Road.

MRS. WENHOLZ removed from Liverpool-street to 17, Albion-street.—VACANCIES.

MRS. BUTTON, 7, Grosvenor-terrace, Charlotte-place, nr. Petty's Hotel. Vacan. Boarders, terms mod. Baths, piano.

MACQUARIE-STREET North.—To Boarders.—A VACANCY for a lady and gentleman, or 2 gentlemen, close to the Botanic Gardens, also the swimming baths. Highest refs. required. Apply Mr. Ramsay, King-street.

MR. GRAS Y. FORT,
late Royal Exchange, Restaurant,
in tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage bestowed on him during his residence in Sydney, has much pleasure in informing his numerous friends, and the public generally, that he has taken that commodious house well-known as the
BULL AND MOUTH HOTEL,
Bourke-street, Melbourne,
where intending visitors will always find extensive accommodation and that hospitality it has always been his earnest desire to extend.

MENZIES' HOTEL.
Mrs. MENZIES
begs to announce to the friends and patrons of her late husband that the above business will be continued by her, with the assistance of the present manager, Mr. William Bentley.
PRIVATE SUITES OF APARTMENTS.
A ladies' drawing-room, in connexion with the general dining-room, has been established for the convenience of families.
Every attention will be paid to
ENHANCE the COMFORT and MERIT the
PATRONAGE of VISITORS.
Terms moderate.
Prospectus on application.
Cold Baths Free.
MELBOURNE, May 1, 1880.

NEWLY furnished ROOMS to LET, for single men; 5s per week, central. 145, Castlereagh-street.

NORTH Shore, minute from ferry.—Comfortable Home for a young Lady. Terms moderate. Thurlow, Herald.

NO. 4, Fitzroy-terrace, Pitt-street, Redfern.—Private Board and Residence. Vacancies for gentlemen. Terms, 21s.

NO. 7, Margaret-street, Furnished ROOM, use kitchen; suit married couple, or two young ladies.

NO 114, Victoria-street, just repaired, 9 rooms, bath, yard, garden. E. O. Smith, 58, Pitt-street.

NO. 243, Crown-street, two doors from City Bank.—APARTMENTS, with or without board; very moderate.

NO. 150, Burdekin-square, Crown-street.—Vacancies for 2 or 3 young men, board optional; terms moderate.

NO. 116, Woolloomooloo-street.—Large BEDROOM, suit three friends; board optional; near town.

NO. 96, VICTORIA-STREET N.—VACANCIES for Gentlemen Boarders, or Lady and Gentleman.

NORTH SHORE, Lavender Bay, Lyell, next Parsonage, one minute from ferry.—A quiet HOME for married couple, or two gentlemen. Front rooms, overlooking harbour. Terms moderate. No children.

ONE Lady BOARDER received in private family, North Shore; no children. Fides, Herald Office.

ONE or two young gentlemen will meet with comfortable HOME, 18 Arundel-terrace, Glebe.

ONE or two young Men can have comfortable lodgings. 352, Sussex-street, near Haymarket.

ONE or TWO GENTLEMEN can find a pleasant HOME, with every comfort, including bath, piano, &c.; terms moderate. Apply 122, Palmer-street, four doors from William-street.

ONE or two young ladies, engaged during day, will find comfortable HOME with young married person; no children or boarders; nice bedroom; terms moderate. For address or particulars, Mr. Wallace, King-street.

PRIVATE BOARD and Residence, front rooms vacant. 32, Castlereagh-street. Terms moderate.

PRIVATE BOARD and RESIDENCE, 62, Mary-street, near Albion-street, Surry Hills. Gas and bath.

ST. ALBAN'S, 239, William-street.—A large ROOM for 2 gentlemen friends vacant. Terms moderate.

SUBURBAN BOARD and Residence.—Vacancy at Meta House, Croydon.

SUPERIOR Boarding Establishment, 234, Elizabeth-st., opp. Belmore Park, nr. tram entrance, piano, bath, gas.

SUPERIOR Drawing and 2 BEDROOMS, with board gentleman's family. Batt and Rodd, 88, Pitt-street.

SUPERIOR BOARD; private sitting and bedrooms. Over Swain's, centre dwelling, 736, City Buildings, George-st.

SUPERIOR English Home for a married couple, for two gentlemen or for two ladies; terms moderate. 10, Victoria-terrace, Pitt-street, Redfern.

STANDFORD HOUSE.—A superior HOME for lady and gentleman, or two gentlemen; plunge and shower baths; drawing-room, first-class piano; private family; gas; terms, 21s. 341, Bourke-street, Darlinghurst.

TO LET, 2 ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished; very comfortable. Apply 356, Kent-street.

TO LET, a furnished BEDROOM, for one or two single gentlemen, with a private family. 21, Hunter-street.

TO LET, Furnished ROOM, fireplace, rent 9s. No. 56, Washington-street, off Sussex-street.

TO LET, furnished ROOMS, married couple, or lodgings for single men. 6, Campbell-place, Woolloomooloo.

TO LET, comfortably furnished Bedroom and sitting-room, for married couple. 93, Woolloomooloo-street.

TO LET, a Suite of ROOMS. Apply at Lucas's Auction Mart, Pitt and Park streets.

TO LET, ROOMS, suitable for offices. 116, corner of Market and Castlereagh-streets.

TO LET, a furnished front BEDROOM. 217, Crown-street, near Burton-street.

TO LET, furnished BEDROOM; gas, bath, piano, board optional. 100, Queen-street, Woollahra.

TWO unfurnished ROOMS to LET. Apply 93, Fitzroy-street, near Moore Park.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS to LET, for single men or married couples. 8, Nithsdale-street, off Liverpool-st.

TWO Ladies, at business, will find comfortable HOME; terms moderate. 59, Crown-street, near William-street.

TWO respectable men will find a comfortable HOME, as boarders, at 139, Prince-street, Church-hill.

TWO Double BEDROOMS and private Sitting-Room vacant. Mrs. Lodge, 1?3, Macquarie-street North.

TWO large ROOMS to LET, furnished or unfurnished, with use of kitchen; gas, bath, and every convenience; no children. Apply No. 5, Maximus-terrace, Glebe Point Road.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS, grate, hall, kitchen, 8s; partially furnished, 10s 6d. Mrs. Donnelly, Dowling-street, Paddington.

TASMAN HOUSE,
No. 1, Grosvenor-terrace, Church-hill.
Vacancies for families and gentlemen.
Mrs. H. Rodd Smith.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS, stable if required, near town; terms moderate. 138, William-st., Woolloomooloo.

UNFURNISHED FRONT ROOM, for two young men. 17, Wemyss-street, back of Lyons'-terrace.

VACANT, a large front balcony ROOM, furnished, use of kitchen and bath. P. O., Post-office, Oxford-street.

VACANCY for single men, terms 18s; ladies, 12s. 19, Ann-street, near Belmore Park.

VACANCIES for 3 gentlemen, at Astonleigh, Bourke-street, Surry Hills. Miss M'Lachlan.

VACANCIES for Boarders; bath, gas, piano; late dinner; terms moderate. 262, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.

VACANCIES for families and gentlemen. Mrs. Dobson's, Bengal House, 23, Jamison-street.

VACANCIES for Boarders. 461, St. George's-terrace, Pitt-street South.

SMALL BEDROOM only, wanted by business Man, State terms, &c., Memo, P. O., Haymarket.

UN MONSIEUR désire avoir une chambre et sa pension avec une famille privée, ou l'on parle Français, Italien, ou Espagnol. S'adresser F. H. Bureau du Herald.

WANTED, BOARD and RESIDENCE, at Burwood. J. Wood, Post-office, Burwood.

WANTED, a furnished HOUSE or Cottage, in the suburbs. Forward particulars and terms to H., G. P. O.

WANTED, to rent COTTAGE, Marrickville or Stanmore. State terms, &c., A.Z., Batt, Rodd, and Furves.

WANTED, to Rent, close to city, Land and Premises suitable for poultry yard. Mr. Davies, 5?, Druitt-street.

WANTED, HOUSE, about 5 rooms, or Offices (3 rooms). Norris, writing-master, 42, Park-street.

WANTED, BOARD and RESIDENCE at Druitt-town or Enfield. B., Herald Office.

WANTED, to Rent or Purchase COTTAGE, at Ashfield, Bland-street side preferred. Address, with particulars, Mr. William Smyth, 50, Prince-street, Sydney.

WANTED to hire a ROOM, or store, 30 x 30, not less than 12 feet high. Apply Philip Stuart, No. 1, Coffee Palace.

WANTED, to Lease COTTAGE, of about 6 rooms, in the vicinity of CROYDON, ASHFIELD, or BURWOOD. Apply to G. K. Clark, land agent, Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street.

WANTED, to rent about the beginning of next month, a HOUSE containing 7 rooms, small paddock; in the neighbourhood of Paddington. Apply 87, Moncur-street, Woollahra.

YOUNG Man intends visiting Sydney for about three weeks, wants Christian HOME, near Sydney, with organ or harmonium preferred. Address, stating terms, Comfort, P. O., Melbourne.

To Let.

ADA-TERRACE, 3, Ross-st., Parramatta Road, Forest Lodge, 6 rooms, water, gas, copper, &c. Wells, 1, Hunter-st.

A DELIGHTFULLY situated COTTAGE to LET, opposite Rifle Butts, Park Road. 303, Geo.-st., nr. Hunter-st.

A FOUR-ROOMED HOUSE to LET. Apply 205, Crown-street.

A HOUSE to LET, No. 45, Howard-street, off Parramatta-street. Key at No. 47.

A HOUSE, Maude-terrace, Burcom-st., Darlinghurst, 6 rooms; 15s; key next door. G. H. Curtis, 86, Pitt-st.

A HOUSE, 436, Harris-st., Ultimo, 4 rooms; 15s.; key next door. G. H. Curtis, 86, Pitt-street.

A HOUSE TO LET, 4 rooms, kitchen, at Groose-st., Camperdown. Apply J. F. Hodges, 357, Sussex-street.

A HOUSE, 4 rooms, kitchen, balcony, 15s. Key at 17, Botany-street, near Oxford-street.

ALMAVILLE, Pyrmont Bridge Road, to LET. For particulars, apply F. H. Reuss, jun., 100, Pitt-street.

A LARGE SHOP and DWELLING to LET: Oxford-street, every convenience. Zions, 409, George-street.

A SHOP and DWELLING to LET; gas, bath, &c. near Town Hall. Zions, 409, George-street.

ASHFIELD, Parramatta Road.—Mervale Cottage, 8 rooms, outoffices, stabling, paddock. B. Braun, 724, Geo-st.

A SIX-ROOMED HOUSE to LET, with every convenience. Apply Murray's Hotel, Woolloomooloo-street.

A STORE and DWELLING to LET, Sussex-street, suitable for produce merchant. Zions, 409, George-street.

A SUPERIOR and well-built RESIDENCE to LET, at Darlinghurst, replete with every convenience. E. Ramsay

AT BALMAIN.—One of its prettiest and most convenient VILLAS to LET. Rent, £72. E. Ramsay, h. agent.

ARFOMA, PETERSHAM.—A comfortable FAMILY RESIDENCE, at present occupied by C. F. Stokes, Esq. Apply stationmaster.

A DETACHED COTTAGE, containing 8 rooms, kitchen, bath, outhouses, with gas and water laid on, standing in its own grounds, on the line of 'buses; rent, £100 a-year. For address apply to Mr. Wallace, stationer, King-street.

ASHFIELD.—To LET, HOUSE, containing 7 rooms, bathroom, washhouse, kitchen, and flower garden; every convenience; in immediate vicinity to Mr. Kinloch, Dr. Chisholm, and Mr. George Close, on the heights of Ashfield; rent, £52 per annum; stable and paddock if required. M. Roberts, Queen-street, Ashfield.

BALMAIN.—HOUSE to LET, 6 rooms, water frontage. Mrs. F. Gardner, William-street, Peacock Point.

BRIXTON COTTAGE, Erskineville Road, Newtown, 6 rooms, hall, kitchen, laundry, gas; lawn, shrubs. T. Hawkins.

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